

First Steps Taken to Increase Off-Season Travel

Package Deal With Western Is Proposed

More Meetings
Planned in
Near Future

First steps to increase travel to Palm Springs during spring, summer and early fall and initial outlines of a plan to "package" such travel with the cooperation of Western Air Lines were taken at the Biltmore Hotel yesterday.

Hotels, restaurants and night clubs whose owners plan to remain open around the year will be asked within the next 10 days to two weeks to sit in and discuss plans to bring about a solid program.

ATTENDING THE first meeting at the Biltmore Hotel were Jimmy Cooper, manager of the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce; Keith Jones, Western Air Lines; Sam Levin, Don Fry; George Olman; Ray Hewitt, an expert in the promotion of tourist travel; Harry Paisley, president of the Palm Springs Hotel and Apartment Association; Bob Levin, Cliff Brown, publicist for the Chamber, and his assistant, Edith Carlson.

The consensus of the group, which will form the basis of further discussions with larger groups, is that all four seasons and the cost of travel, accommodations and amusement will be indicated in a brochure to be printed and supplied by Western Air Lines. This, it was agreed, will show the difference in the cost of each tourist package during winter months as compared to spring, summer and early fall.

IT WAS ALSO determined that in view of the large amount of money Western Air Lines will spend in urging travel to Palm Springs during spring, summer and early fall, that those who participate in this campaign will also contribute to an advertising fund to be spent for space in out-of-town newspapers along with advertisements by Western Air Lines.

Outlined also, was the use of a credit plan whereby the white collar worker may pay for his vacation on easy terms, such as is done in Florida.

Congress Checks Contract Award To Official's Wife

WASHINGTON (AP)—House and Senate investigators launched preliminary inquiries today into the award of an \$834,150 Army contract to a company headed by the wife of Assistant Defense Secretary Robert Tripp Ross.

Ross told the United Press he long since severed all connection with his wife's firm.

Chairman Chet Holifield (D-Calif.) of a House Government Operations Investigating Subcommittee ordered his staff to study whether the conflict of interest laws were violated.

Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Art) of the Senate Investigating Subcommittee said staff members of his group would make a similar inquiry into the contracts awarded to Mrs. Ross' firm in November.

THE WEATHER

Desert Area Forecast: Increasing cloudiness tonight and Saturday with light showers Saturday afternoon and near mountains Saturday morning. Slightly cooler days. High today 57-70.

Yesterday's high was 70, and the low was 46.

Freedom and 'Simple Life' Worth \$5 Million

The wrong kind of love in the wrong part of the world isn't worth \$5 million—or any price—to Vera Krupp von Bohlen, frequent visitor here.

The attractive, former film star today renounced her demand for a \$5 million divorce settlement from her estranged husband, millionaire German industrialist Alfred Krupp. "I value my freedom in America," she explained today.

REPORTING FROM Las Vegas, where she filed divorce proceedings three months ago, Mrs. Krupp said she decided to disavow her "small claim" to her husband's \$50,000,000 estate, leaving him "free to marry another woman." The decision to abandon all claims to the fortune, and trade her former life in a 380-room Esplanade, Germany, castle for "the simple life of a Nevada ranch," was apparently based on the possibility of prolonged divorce proceedings because of her husband's opposition to the claim.

"I had expected an amicable divorce," she said. "But if the money means so much to him that he



K. C. RHEE, vice president of Washin Industrial Co. of Seoul, Korea, was a houseguest this week of the Winfield H. Lines of 571 Indian Trail, on the last step of a 15-country semi-business tour of the world, checking foreign markets. Mrs. Line's cousin, Pak Heung Sik, is president of the company, which before the war was Korea's largest industrial concern, with assets of \$99 million. The Lines visited him and Rhee in Korea this past summer, and while there were also entertained by President and Mrs. Syngman Rhee in the Presidential Palace in Seoul. (Desert Sun Photo).

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Hotel Zoning Change Hearing Set for Jan. 16

The City Planning Commission has set Jan. 16 as the date for final hearing on an application for zone change to permit construction of a new 118 unit hotel between Araby Drive and Smoke Tree Ranch, off Highway 111.

Hotel plans revealed by William Lansdale, of Downey, at a commission hearing earlier this week drew heavy fire from property owners and Araby tract residents who claimed the development would increase road congestion.

The developer filed application for change of zone from single-family, allowing construction of the ranch-type hotel on an 18-acre hillside site south of the highway. Plans call for restaurant, swimming pool, tennis courts and riding stables.

Opponents also claimed the stables would introduce flies to the area.

First Elected President of Austria Dies

VIENNA (AP)—Theodor Koerner, Austria's first directly elected president, died at his suburban home today. He was 83.

An official communique said the president died at 3:15 p.m. Vienna time at his villa at Grinzing, a suburb of Vienna.

The communique gave no cause of death. But a government source said Koerner died after he suffered a stroke.

Wisconsin Bank Robbed of \$17,000

MILTON, Wis. (AP)—A young gunman who apparently had "spotted the bank for some time" robbed the Bank of Milton of about \$17,000 in cash early today.

John Misener, 35, a new employee of the bank, said the gunman, about 23 or 24 years old, met him outside the front door of the bank about 7 a.m. Misener said he had gone to the bank early because of some work he had to do.

Misener said the robber was carrying a pistol.

Record Blast Removes Cliff

LITTLE VALLEY, Utah (AP)—Nearly one million pounds of explosives shattered a cliff on the snow covered shore of Great Salt Lake at 6:45 a.m. PST today to crack loose thousands of tons of rock for the new Southern Pacific crossing on the lake.

The detonation was the second largest nonatomic blast ever made in this country.

Hertz to Triple Facilities Here in \$500,000 Expansion

(SEE PHOTO, PAGE 2)

A half million dollar expansion program, tripling its service facilities in the Palm Springs area, was announced today by Hertz Rent A Car.

Joseph Stedem, Hertz executive vice president, and one of the founders of the auto rental industry in California, is in Palm Springs to launch the program personally.

The expansion, he said, is necessitated by the growing popularity of the desert area as a winter vacation resort.

MORE THAN one-third of some 150 new cars purchased for use during the current season are convertibles, Stedem added. That is the highest ratio of convertibles to the total number of cars available at any Hertz agency in the country.

The local agency, formerly the Valley U-Drive Company, is one of the oldest in the city. It was purchased by Hertz recently from Edgar L. McCoubrey, of Plaza Motors, Palm Springs Oldsmobile and Cadillac agency.

Fire Damage To Hotel Dining Room is \$1,000

Fire damage to the Lone Palm Hotel dining room was today estimated at \$1,000, after a brief blaze yesterday scorched one wall, cracked a window and ruined a cooling unit.

Flames touched off by an overheated water heater spread to a wood-paneled wall, but serious damage was prevented by firemen who doused the blaze within 15 minutes. None of the guests living in units widely separated from the dining room knew of the fire.

The hotel, at 1276 North Indian Avenue, is owned by Bandleader Horace Heidt.

Quarterhorse Group to Appeal Decision

Fate of the Quarter Horse race track proposed for the Rancho Mirage was uncertain today but it seemed apparent that the adverse decision of the Fourth District Court of Appeals would be taken to a higher court by proponents of the project.

Hank Gogerty of Desert Air Hotel, vice president of the Desert Turf Club which seeks a permit for the track, said today in a telephone conversation with The Desert Sun that yesterday's decision would be appealed.

FRANK BOGERT, president of the club, however, indicated prior to yesterday's decision, that if the Appellate Court upheld County Supervisors, proponents might stop action to obtain the needed permit.

The writ, handed down yesterday in San Bernardino, gives the Supervisors the right to hold an other public hearing on application of the Turf Club without further interference through Superior Court action.

The calendar of the long battle between the Desert Turf Club, opponents of the track and the supervisors has been marked by action and counter-action starting with the issuing of a permit in July, 1954.

IN FEBRUARY 1956, the county planning commission recommended

the purchase of 150 new 1957 model Chevrolets, Fords, Plymouths, Oldsmobiles, Cadillacs, and Thunderbirds, Stedem said. In addition, the Hertz desert headquarters office at 290 North Indian Avenue will be tripled in size and additional service offices will be opened in the surrounding communities.

Service will be expanded to include Palm Springs Airport, Stedem said, to Thermal Airport through the Palm Desert office, the airports and railway depots at San Bernardino, Riverside and Ontario.

STEDEM, STAYING at the Desert Inn, also announced the company has already started a newspaper advertising campaign promoting the Palm Springs area "sun country" in San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento, Portland, and Seattle.

Two thirds of the Hertz cars in the use in Palm Springs today, Stedem pointed out, were rented in metropolitan areas of California and driven here.

Ice-Cubed Ships Free Selves, Safe

McMURDO SOUND, Antarctica. (AP)—Two U. S. Navy vessels trapped in Antarctic pack ice since New Year's Eve had freed themselves and are safe in the shelter of Cape Hallett, radio reports from the scene said today.

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Marie 'Body' McDonald Kidnapped From Home

Companies Seek to Show Report False

Phone Officials
Cross-Examine
PUC Engineers

Cross-examination and rebuttal by the telephone companies before the California Public Utilities Commission highlighted the hearings held in the Palm Springs Council Chambers today.

Commissioner Rex Hardy said that developments seem to indicate that the hearings will be held over until a later date. The earliest time open on the PUC calendar is mid-March.

Cross-examination of staff engineers, Melvin E. Mezek and R. L. Hester was directed by attorneys for the companies and the chambers of commerce, until the noon recess.

QUESTIONS WERE based on "so called inaccuracies" of the report filed by the commission staff on Nov. 19, 1956.

Both Dexter C. Tight, attorney for Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, and Peter A. Menzel, vice president and general manager of California Water and Telephone Company, told The Desert Sun that the afternoon session would be used for rebuttal by the telephone companies and at that time they would put witnesses on the stand to show "inaccuracies" in the 85-page report filed by the commission staff.

Some of the cross-examination by Niel Hasbrook, attorney for Coachella Valley Home Telephone and Telegraph Company, hinged on the rate of return by the company.

THE COMMISSION'S report shows that Coachella Valley Home Telephone made an 8.34 per cent rate of return during 1955 and the staff had listed 6.5 per cent as a reasonable return by the commission for each company.

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MARIE "THE BODY" McDonald, a frequent Palm Springs visitor since 1948, was last in the resort at a Racquet Club dinner-dance party Nov. 3, 1956. Her dancing partner here was identified as Bentley Ryan, prominent Los Angeles and Beverly Hills attorney. (Anderson Photo)

Senate Expected to Kill Filibuster Bill Tonight

WASHINGTON (AP)—A drive to limit filibusters and permit passage of civil rights legislation headed for almost certain defeat in the Senate today.

Advocates of the move hoped to win support from Vice President Richard M. Nixon, the Senate's presiding officer. But there was no clear indication that Nixon would—or could—help their cause significantly.

The Senate was scheduled to take up the filibuster dispute shortly after it convened and to reach a crucial vote on the matter at 6 p.m.

AS FOR THE outcome, anti-filibuster forces would say in advance only that they were stronger than they were in 1953 when a similar drive failed 70 to 21. Today's move was sponsored by a bipartisan bloc of 31 senators, but

opponents said it would get no more than 35 votes, far short of a majority of the Senate's 96 members.

The house was in recess today. Both it and the Senate held their opening sessions Thursday, swore in new members and elected officers, putting the Democrats, because of their majorities in both houses, in control.

BOTH CHAMBERS will meet in an extraordinary joint session Saturday to hear President Eisenhower deliver his special message on the Middle East. The President will appeal for authority to use U. S. troops, if necessary, to counter any Russian aggression in the Middle East.

The President's address will be televised and broadcast by all three major TV-radio networks starting at 9:30 p.m. PST.

First County Traffic Death Of '57 Recorded

Riverside County's first traffic death of 1957 was registered in Thermal last night when Thermal rancher John J. Edmonson, 34, died as the result of injuries received in a Highway 99 collision.

California Highway Patrol officers said Edmonson was fatally injured when he apparently drove through an Avenue 46 stop sign, striking a northbound truck driven by Robert E. Yates, of Downey. Yates was uninjured.

Skelton Son Is Leukemia Victim

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Comedian Red Skelton's nine-year-old son is suffering from leukemia and has been given only five months to a year to live, the family confirmed today.

Milton Weiss, the comic's agent, said tests made a few days ago established that the boy, Richard Freeman, has leukemia. Richard is hospitalized at the UCLA medical center and has not been told of the serious nature of the disease.

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Kidnap Note Left, Police Lack Clues

Taken From
Hollywood Home
About Midnight

HOLLYWOOD. (AP)—Blonde actress Marie "The Body" McDonald, 32, disappeared from her home in her night clothes early today and police feared she had been kidnaped.

The supposed abductors left a kidnap note and a trail of anonymous telephone threats, one of which declared, "Don't call anyone if you want to see her alive again."

FBI agents entered the case on standby, pending a decision to take over officially.

"It looks like kidnaping," said Police Inspector Henry Kerr after Valley Division police conducted an investigation from the time of her disappearance, shortly after midnight.

Kerr said there was "only a remote" possibility that a hoax or sort of publicity stunt that occasionally has enlivened the Hollywood scene was involved.

NO CLUES TO THE supposed abductor's identity were discovered in the initial investigation.

Crime laboratory expert Ray Pinker of the Los Angeles Police Department said evidence indicated the front gate, electrically opened from inside the house, had been forced to gain entrance to the palatial, fence-surrounded home in the San Fernando Valley.

MISS McDONALD's ex-husband, wealthy shoe manufacturer Harry Karl, told police a young male voice, extremely nervous, told him over the telephone about 2:10 a.m.

"I've got Marie. Don't call anyone if you want to see her alive again," He said the mysterious caller must have gotten his telephone number from Marie because he has an unlisted number.

A SIMILAR anonymous call was made to Miss McDonald's mother and she rushed to the home where servants already had found her bed empty, the three children sleeping peacefully in adjoining rooms.

But the call to the mother said: "We have Marie. Don't call police. She won't be hurt."

THE FORMER Powers model and "Scandals" girl, who hasn't made a movie in six years, apparently was abducted shortly after midnight.

She was wearing only her night robe and a pair of black flat slippers, according to police.

A kidnap note, partially pencilled and partly composed of words clipped from newspapers, was found by police in the black mailbox outside the fence surrounding the McDonald residence.

"Don't call police. She won't be hurt to get money. We will get in touch with you," it read.

Late News Bulletins

SAN DIEGO UP - A 19-year-old AWOL soldier from Ft. Knox, Pvt. Donald Lee Phillips, today confessed the robbery-murder last weekend of Angelo Blundo, 57, in Balboa Park, and the robbery-beating of a San Diego man, police reported.

WASHINGTON UP - Sen. Richard B. Russell (D-Ga.) accused the press today of trying to "intimidate" Congress into adopting an anti-filibuster rule and passing civil rights legislation.

LONDON UP - Maj. Gen. E. L. M. Burns, commander of the U. N. Emergency forces, and Ben Noshe Dayan, Israeli chief of staff, are finalizing Israeli withdrawal plans.

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Urgency Fire Law Passed By Supervisors

An urgency amendment to the county's fire prevention ordinance was adopted by the county board of supervisors this week because of the existing high fire hazard due to dryness and lack of rainfall. The measure became immediately effective.

The new law makes it unlawful for any person within the boundaries of any National Forest Reserve in the county to smoke between the first day of May and the last day of January of each and every year except at designated and improved campgrounds or occupied places of habitation or other designated areas. The deadline has formerly been the last day of December.

"What if it doesn't rain by the end of January?" queried someone. "If it doesn't rain by the end of January all is lost anyway," replied County Counsel Ray T. Sullivan, Jr.

Violation of the ordinance is a misdemeanor subject to a fine of not less than \$50 or more than \$500 or by imprisonment for not less than 15 days or more than six months, or by both fine and imprisonment.

Corn, No Doubt

ANSONIA, Conn. (AP) — Irked at delay in repaving the sidewalk space in front of his store after a sewer installation, James Messina planted a garden in the area.



THE "DESERT NOMADS," Veri, Donna and Kathy Martin, will present the Museum's Guest Speaker program, at 8 a. m., tomorrow, at Frances Stevens School. Title of the Martin's talk is "Desert Panorama"—a travelog from the Land of the Silent River to Clipper Valley and Wild Horse Mesa, to the Kelso Dunes, the Mono Crater area and the Valley where the Burros go to Die. The program will be illustrated with Kodachrome slides, and is accompanied with recorded mood music.



JOSEPH STEDEM, right, a Hertz Rent a Car executive vice president, confers with Edgar McCoubrey about the half-million dollar expansion program of Hertz in the Palm Springs area. See story Page 1. (Anderson Photo)

Supervisors Delay Action On County Off-Street Parking

The county board of supervisors decided this week to withhold any

further attempt to act on a proposed county-side off-street parking ordinance until Jan. 14.

"The board should give the new supervisor, Curtis Chamberlain, a chance to be seated comfortably," opined Supervisor Roman Warren whose seat is to be taken by Chamberlain at noon next Monday, Jan. 7.

THE LATEST organization to urge adoption of an off-street parking law is the Thousand Palms Chamber of Commerce. They urged the supervisors Wednesday to enact such an ordinance as will protect the business and private lives and property of the county's citizens. "It is vital to progress and prosperity of the county that our highways be safeguarded for the use for which they were constructed," they declared.

Supervisor Fred McCall accused Supervisor George Berkey and Supervisor Paul Anderson of holding up adoption of the proposed ordinance. "You fellows are holding it up because you are trying to put in a requirement for off-street parking in residential areas," he said.

BERKEY REPLIED that the provision requiring off-street parking for single residences, as well as for multiple residential, business, industrial and other areas of the county, is already contained in the ordinance.

Square Dancing Place is Moved

Howard Haddock, City Recreation Director, announces today that the Square Dance classes held every Saturday from 10 a. m. until noon, have been moved to Cahulla school and tomorrow's sessions will be held there. The lessons formerly were conducted at The Playhouse on the Polo Grounds.

Haddock said that these classes are open to all boys and girls of fourth, fifth and sixth grade ages.

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Village Kicks Off '57 Resort Season in Typical Fast Stepping Style, Featuring Golf, Tennis, Fashion Show

Palm Springs is kicking off its 1957 resort season this month in typical fast-stepping style, launching a calendar of events listing everything from golf and tennis tournaments to fashion shows and the annual Firemen's Ball.

Desert divot diggers are lining up for a doubleheader of two big golfing tournaments headlining the calendar — the annual \$15,000 Thunderbird Country Club Pro-Member Tournament and the Palm Springs Senior Golf Association Tournament.

TENNIS ROUNDS out the sportsman's calendar, while the opening of the Palm Springs Playhouse, the Civic Chorus Concert, the Firemen's Ball and the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet fill up the recreation and entertainment program.

Biggest item on the sporting calendar is the \$15,000 Thunderbird tournament, which is expected to attract some of the nation's ranking golfers, running from Jan. 24 through 27.

Play is limited to 120 members and 33 professionals. About 90 entries have already been listed on the tournament roster.

PLAY GETS UNDERWAY Jan. 24 with the first of 18-hole rounds. Three members will team up with one pro for foursomes on the first two days, with each member receiving a full handicap. Members drop out after the first 36 holes, leaving the pros to finish off the second 36 during the remaining two days.

Invitations have gone out to 300 amateurs for the Palm Springs Desert Senior Golf Association Tournament running from Jan. 15 through 17.

The tournament, held twice each year, starts off at O'Donnell Golf Club the 15th, moves into the second day at Tamarisk Country Club the 16th and winds up at Thunderbird Country Club the 18th for a total of 54 holes.

Trophies go to the best ball two-some. The association championship tournament is held in November.

ON THE ENTERTAINMENT side of the ledger, Villagers are invited to the 22nd annual Firemen's Ball, programmed for 9 p. m., Jan. 19, at the Legion Hall. Tickets, going at \$1 each, are being sold by firemen and at Stations One and Two for an evening of dancing to the music of Ted Ward's band. Proceeds provide new fire equipment.

BIG ITEM ON the Chamber of Commerce calendar is the 16th annual Chamber banquet, scheduled for 8 p. m., Jan. 22, at the El Mirador Hotel.

About 300 Villagers are expected to attend the banquet, featuring a program of dancing and installation of officers. Chamber officials will also report on accomplishments during the past year.

New officers ready for installation are Tom Kieley, president; Dewy Metzdorf, first vice president; Warren Slaughter, second vice president; and Earl Hough, treasurer.

OTHER FEATURES of the January calendar of events include: Hospital by the Hospital Women's Auxiliary, at the Racquet Club Jan. 10.

Blue Ribbon Tennis Tournament, Jan. 12 and 13 at the Racquet Club.

Playhouse Guild Ball, Jan. 14, at the El Mirador Hotel.

Palm Springs Playhouse opening Jan. 15, with "Roomful of Roses," featuring Marrian Walters, Michael Farrell and Tim O'Connor.

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Record Crowds Welcome New Year in Palm Springs



JAYCEE PARTY was held at the Field Club on the Polo Grounds, and some forty couples enjoyed dancing and a buffet dinner. Junior Chamber of Commerce president Bill Bronstein, left, and his

wife Roz, far right, chat with past president Stan Lewis and his wife, Libby. The Lewises, former Palm Springs residents, now live in Banning.



DOLL HOUSE DANCERS Bill Lauer, of Tamarisk Country Club, and Dolores Smith, secretary at O'Donnell Golf Club, greeted the New Year with a mambo step in the middle of the jam-packed Doll House dance floor.



ELK'S LODGE PARTY chairman Rudy Salazar played dinner host to Mrs. John Dumbleton, left,

and Mrs. Dan Flax, of Palm Springs Playhouse, at the lodge dinner party.



AT LA QUINTA HOTEL Mr. and Mrs. Paul Heinrich are shown chatting with hotel manager War-

ner Gilmore and Mrs. Gilmore in the Mirage Room.



LA PAZ HOST Ralph Wilcox Taylor, seated, right, happily views cheery holiday revelers while Mrs. Chris Langsdow, left, and Heather Whitlock and Dr. Alton Horton look on.



THE ROSSMORE HOTEL'S Celebrity room was the scene of merrymaking on the eve of the New Year. Shown above are Mr. and Mrs. Richard

Levine, owners of the Seville Hotel, who hosted a large table at the Rossmore, and owner Jack Casey and his wife.



STEAK RANCH HOSTESS Mrs. Al Laurie greeted Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Rowell, of Palm Springs'

Desert Book Shop, while the couple enjoyed a pre-party dinner.



AT SHADOW MOUNTAIN Club Mr. and Mrs. Perry O'Brien, he's two-time Olympic Champion in shot-put, are guests of Cliff Henderson, just back from Melbourne. Stopping at their table is club manager Ernie Boudreau.



AT THE DESERT CLUB in La Quinta Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gil (manager of the club) are ushering

in the new year with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ohlgren.



AT THE KON TIKI Neal Olsen had an armful of beauties when the cameraman snapped this picture. From left to right they are, Jean

Howard, Ventura; Mrs. Neal Olsen, Shirley Paris and Donna Rose. (Desert Sun Photos).



IT'S A TRADITION now for the two patrons on the left to spend their New Year's eve at the Saddle and Sirloin. M. J. Rocca, (from left to right) has been at the Saddle for ten New Year's and next to him Miss Grace Ramsey, has been coming to the Saddle and Sirloin

for 12 years to greet the New Year. Both are from San Francisco. On the right are Mrs. May McCaron and her husband, George, of New York City. He is in charge of the claims department of Aetna Life Insurance Company.



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Do-It-Yourself Called Tension Easer

LOS ANGELES — The best thing to ease the tension of today's fast-paced living is often a hobby, according to a study made at the do-it-yourself type of hobby, according to a study made at the request of a power tool firm. A do-it-yourself hobby also of-

fers an answer to the growing problem of how to occupy time on the hands of the country's oldesters. J. R. DeBacher, (president of the Thor Power Tool Co.) believes the do-it-yourself industry will have total sales of \$10 billion by 1960 because of the high costs of material and services.

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Ray Leaves for Mexico For Study of Architecture

Realtor and Developer Terry Ray and his wife, Helen, are winging their way toward Mexico City and other Mexican cities as part of a 10,000-mile combination business and pleasure trip.

The business part of the trip has a three-fold purpose. With his and Ernie Dunlevie's new 2,650-acre desert community just east of Palm Springs, Bermuda Dunes in mind Ray will make an extensive study of Mexican architecture.

Mexican architecture is said to be ten years ahead of the times. Modern in concept, it is influenced by Aztec culture, one of the greatest cultures of all time.

RAY AND DUNLEVIE will make liberal use of this architecture at Bermuda Dunes, especially that which suggests Aztec art, both in color and design.

Ray's tour also has the object of looking over the leading golf courses of Mexico for construction ideas to be incorporated in the Bermuda Dunes' 18-hole golf course.

Ray will also participate in a series of meetings with Mexican government officials, Pan-American Airways representatives and architects and engineers in connection with the development of 7 1/2 miles of beach frontage at Puerto Vallarta, 350 miles from Mexico City. Ray was the broker when the property was purchased by Pan-American Airways. It was the biggest deal ever transacted on the west coast of Mexico.

FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS will be spent converting the property into an Acapulco type of development, which is expected to turn the sleepy little village of Puerto Vallarta into a booming city of more than 15,000 people. Mexico and Pan-American Air-

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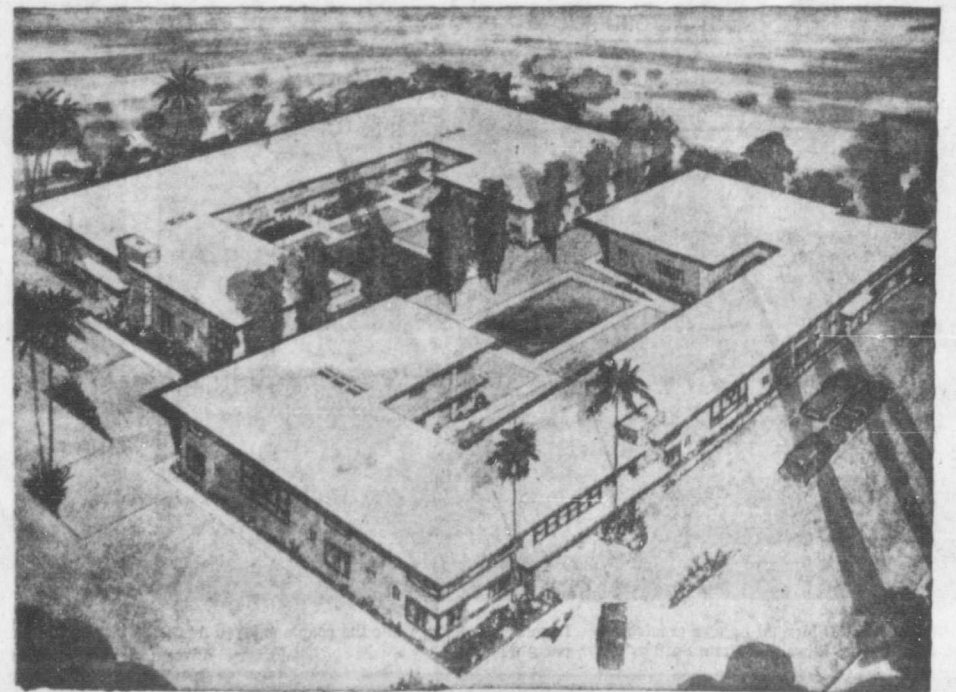
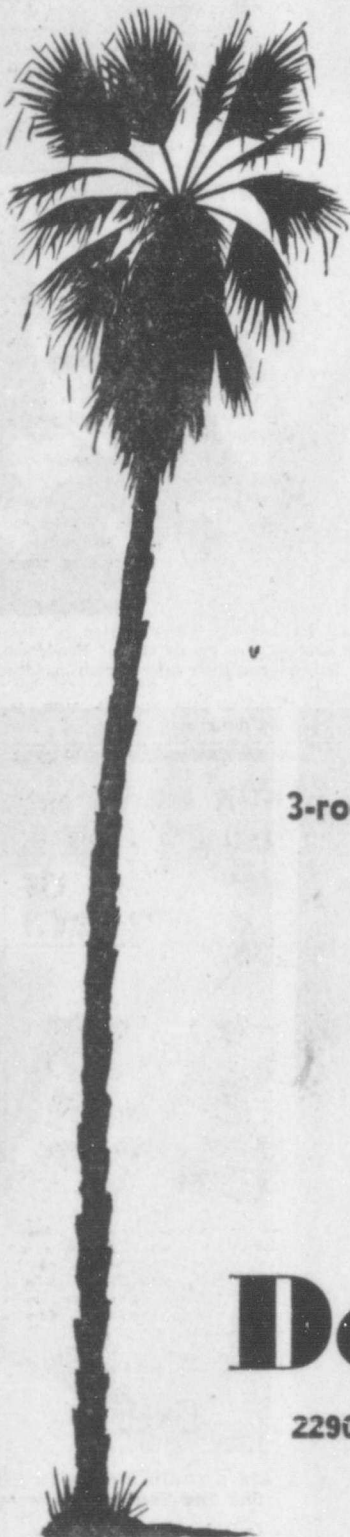
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Glamour Tip—Turn Lights On

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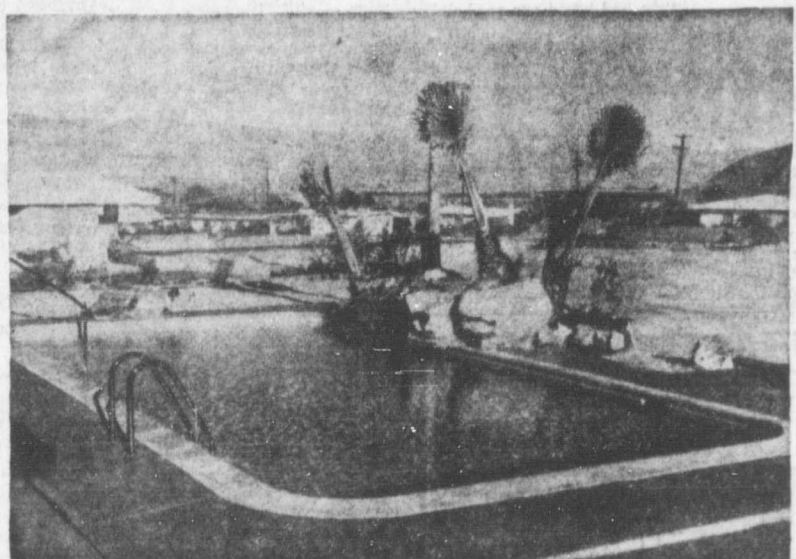


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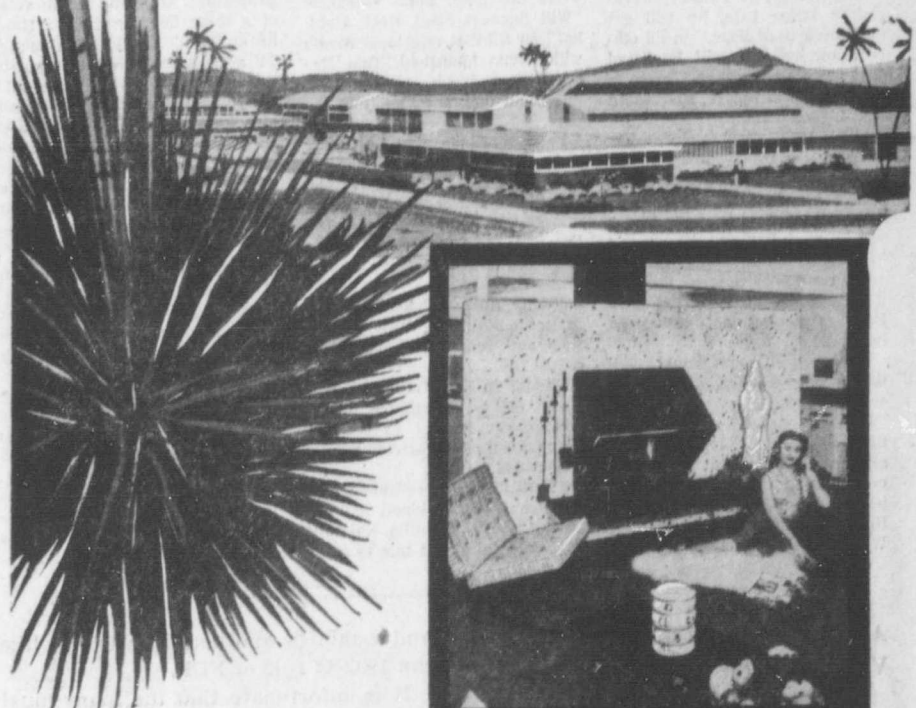
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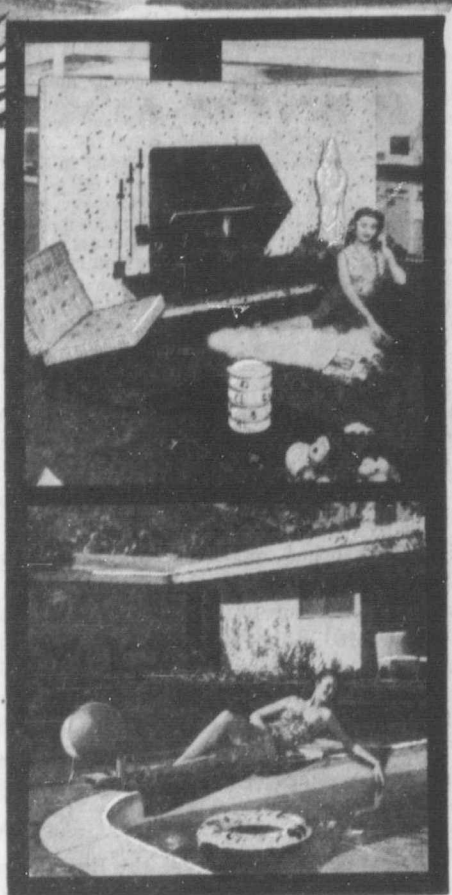
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HOLMES ALEXANDER:

The Refugee Story

U.S. AIR FORCE BASE, Neuburg, Germany — Planes of this 317 Troop Carrier Wing (M.) yesterday were dropping American combat paratroopers in training all over the ancient battlefields of West Europe. Late in November, the same planes and crews were hauling thousands of Army cots and blankets from rear echelon supply depots to the Hungarian refugees.

I don't care how corny I get on stories like this. The word over here is "Present Arms!" Military arms to knock off the enemy. Human arms to receive the wails and orphans of the storm—the weak, the sick, the fearful, the dispossessed—in short, these refugees.

THERE ARE YANKS over here, although not very many any more, who get publicly drunk, chase the girls and sometimes commit crimes of mental disturbances and passion. You read about these things in the German press, because they are legitimate news.

But Colonel Charlie Brown, Executive Officer of the 317th, was telling me about the arrival here of the emergency supplies last month. He sent his junior officers to assemble a "detail" of men to unload the planes. He soon learned there was no need for that. Scores of off-duty personnel had already turned up — some at 4 o'clock in the morning — as volunteers.

Yesterday when I set out to visit the Hungarian refugee camp at Wageningen, the driver didn't know the way. So we picked up as a guide Mrs. Mary Mitchell, wife of Tech. Sgt. George E. H. Mitchell, of Akron, Ohio. As president of the Alpine (Enlisted Men's) Wives' Club, Mrs. Mitchell

had made the 30-mile trip several times with loads of food, toys and clothing for the refugees.

ANOTHER LADY went along, Capt. Alice Holberg of Seattle, who is the unit public information officer. They wanted to invite Hungarian families to Christmas season dinners at the homes of American service people.

Mere military proficiency would be enough to evacuate the refugees. The air-sea lift from the Austro-Hungarian border to State-side is a model performance, and our country can be proud. But these human touches are what put warmth into it, and these may be in foreign minds the essential difference between the various forms of European despotism and home-town Americanism.

The Singer Nahmaschine (Sewing Machine) Company at Munich heard that much of the clothing needed mending and alteration. Next thing you know 10 machines were at the disposal of the Alpine Wives and the women of Wageningen Camp. A serviceman sent a news clip concerning the refugees to his home in Martin, Tennessee. Pretty soon there came an out-of-the-blue donation of \$105 from the Methodist Church there.

WITHOUT THESE unpremeditated generosity by Americans abroad and at home, the refugee movement would be very different from what it is. The Wageningen site, once a German ack-ack base and later a D.P. post, is set back against an evergreen forest and well hidden from the main routes of travel. Few scenes are more dismal than a cluster of old wooden barracks in the dead of winter. Shaved women, unshaved men, solemn, deep-eyed

children were carrying dishes of hot noodles from the chilly mess hall to their double-decker bedrooms, each provided with a stove.

Gradually, as if it were a play or ballet, life seems to flow into this scene, at first so cheerless. Somebody has donated what looks like a child's Christmas present, a rubber ball of gay colors about the size of a grapefruit. The men begin an impromptu warm-up soccer game, passing the ball in the air with nimble kicks.

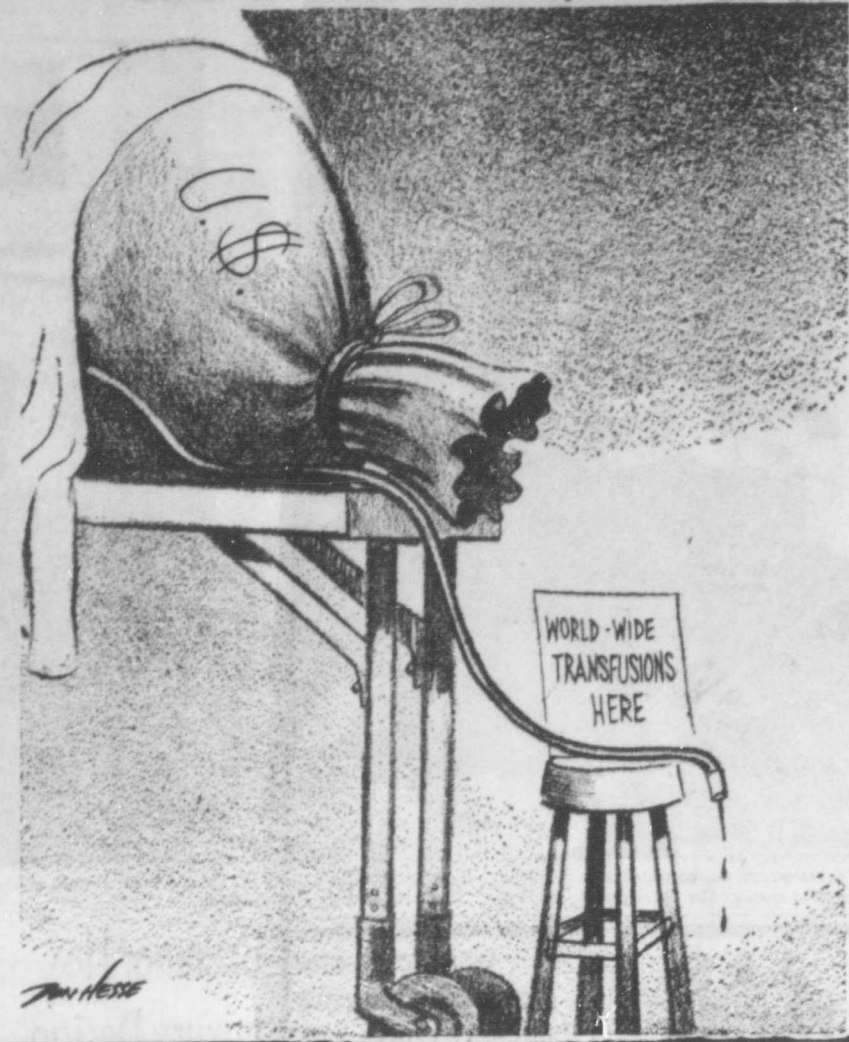
But one man on crutches is missing a leg that has been amputated near the hip. Somebody kicks him the ball. He hikes himself up by his crutches and gives the ball a tremendous boot to the roof of the nearest barracks. There are cheers of admiration and excitement. Somebody plays the ball off the roof, and the game goes on.

INSIDE ONE OF the bedrooms are three of the dark, solemn children, aged six to ten. They are in order of age Helmut, Katatin and Lajos Wein. At first they are shy and non-communicative, but we teach them to wave and say "Hello!" Their faces become animated and full of the childhood beauty which always seems so close to heaven.

Down the hall, there is a store-room filled with donated garments and toys. A door beyond the storeroom opens on an unexpected scene. It is a rustic chapel, built by inmates of this camp, complete with wooden benches, a carved crucifix behind the altar and holy pictures around the walls.

Here, amid human history and mundane international politics, is the kingdom of God.

Better Check the Donor Frequently



THIS SIDE of The Sun

By Phat

Another Rose Tournay, just one of those things, A superb parade but There was no Palm Springs.

Jimmy Cooper is probably becoming weary of hearing me voice these annual yelps right after New Year's Day.

It isn't Jimmy's fault. As manager of the Chamber of Commerce he has been trying to get Palm Springs into that nationally publicized Rose Tournament parade.

MORE THAN a million persons lined the parade route to Oh and Ah at the spectacle. Countless millions more watched it via TV. Or heard it via radio.

The TV audience wasn't limited to the three hours of the parade. Telecasters started talking about the floats and showing pictures of them under construction Monday night. And there were recaps of the parade later Tuesday. And pictures of the floats on display Wednesday.

THEME OF this year's Rose Tournament was "First." That could have been a natural for Palm Springs. For aren't we first in the pleasant Way of Life? First in winter resort pleasure? First in healthful all-year living?

But we weren't even last. We weren't in it. Three TV stations telecast that parade. The announcers went into raptures describing the floats. The cities represented received tremendous publicity.

INDIO PRESENTED a beautiful float. They won the sweepstakes prize and millions of people heard about our desert by way of Indio.

Indio is a great community and I don't want to take anything away from it. But don't we call ourselves the Foremost Desert Resort?

Phoenix, too, won many cheers for its float depicting the "Sunshine City."

Personally, I believe the nationwide publicity Palm Springs could have had, but didn't get, is worth many hundred times the money denied the Chamber of Commerce to get the Village Inn on the colorful spectacle, watched by probably more millions than any other event.

STILL DISCUSSING the events of four days ago, let's touch upon the Rose Bowl game. Palm Springs plays host to hundreds from the green Pacific Northwest each season. I don't want to alienate any of them.

But, to tell the truth, I cheered for Iowa which carried out the Tournament theme by being first in the Rose Bowl.

You see, Iowa is where the Tail Corn grows.

Therefore, Iowa should get the cheers of everyone who tries to write a column.

Their Alma Mater-in-Law, as it were.

THIS ROSE BOWL game. They call it the 43rd. I am going to contradict that. It was only the 34th. The first Rose Bowl game was played in 1923. Prior to that it was the East-West game. The first one was in 1902 when Michigan clobbered Stanford. After a lapse of several years, they renewed that East-West struggle in what they called Tournament Park. That's where I saw my first one.

INEZ ROBB:

Up to His Old Tricks

At 82, Herbert Hoover is up to his old tricks. The former President of the United States and the world's foremost authority on relief of cold and hungry peoples has put his distinguished shoulder to the wheel of Hungarian relief.

It is not easy for a former President to keep his light under a bushel. But Mr. Hoover had managed to conceal his part in the present Hungarian relief efforts until a full-page newspaper advertisement, paid for by a New York department store, revealed him as honorary chairman of First Aid for Hungary, Inc.

Since the advertisement appeared a week ago, more than 4,500 donations have been addressed to him. The sum total is not large, since many of the donations were small, but it will enable this group to continue its relief and welfare work in Austria.

MR. HOOVER WAS attracted to this group because it is composed entirely of Hungarian emigres, now living in America and trying to help other Hungarian emigres flee Communist wrath. Dr. Tibor Eckhardt, now an American citizen but formerly a high official of the free Hungarian government, is president of First Aid to Hungary.

Like Dr. Eckhardt, the other members of the committee are former Hungarians who once held important jobs in their native land. Since fleeing to America at the time of the Communist coup, they have done any kind of honest work, no matter how humble, to support themselves, a fact which has won the admiration and support of the former President.

Although this Hungarian group lacked funds, it did not lack courage. It wired Hungarian emigres already settled in Austria to open receiving stations along the Hungarian-Austrian border the moment the great Hungarian exodus into Austria started.

WHAT IT LACKED in funds, it made up in faith. Mr. Hoover admired the group's spunk and

agreed to head up the organization in an honorary capacity. And it was first in the field with relief for its former countrymen.

It is now known that the former President, calling on his unprecedented experience in relief matters, has warned others that bad as conditions in Hungary may be at the moment, famine in the spring is inevitable. Hungary's rich agricultural lands are shattered by civil war, and spring will herald more, not less, misery.

MR. HOOVER ALSO believes that once the United States government is launched fully on a relief program, the biggest job of private relief agencies will be the placement of refugees in homes and jobs. He has also told aides that America must not overlook the fact that many Hungarian refugees will want only temporary haven here.

The Hungarians have enormous national pride and spirit, and many will want to return home. Mr. Hoover prophesied, once there is a decent form of government in Hungary.

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By UNITED PRESS

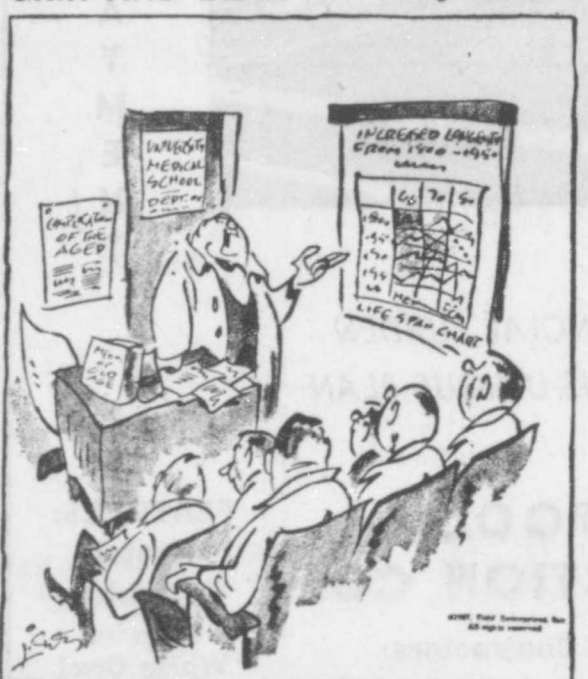
UNDATED—Ned H. Dearborn, president of the National Safety Council, watching the holiday highway death toll rise to a record high:

"We had hoped our pre-holiday warnings might cause drivers to take extra care and use more common sense. We are bitterly disappointed."

VATICAN CITY — Pope Pius XII calling for a strong alliance against the Russian war machine before it is too late:

"Sad reality forces us to set forth the terms of the struggle in clear language. If we kept silent, we would have to fear the judgment of God."

GRIN AND BEAR IT By LICHTY



"... It isn't enough just to prolong the life span, gentlemen... Today's grandparents want to be vigorous and athletic enough to act as baby-sitters!..."

BILL RASHALL

Unedited

Metropolitan newspapers in Los Angeles reported that more than \$70,000,000 in losses were sustained as a result of the Malibu Beach brush fire, but according to George McCarron of the Aetna Life Insurance company, "it was negligible."

Head of the claims department of that giant insurance company, he said that in the overall picture nationwide, it "was small indeed." He pointed out that his company carried a large number of policies on homes in the district ravished by the fire, "but," he added, "you would be surprised how many people didn't have one cent of fire insurance."

"The floods in Northern California caused more than \$300,000,000 in damages to homes and crops but the losses sustained by insurance companies was indeed small. People," he said, "will not buy flood or earthquake insurance because it costs so much."

Personally, this was a shock to me. I believe that no matter what insurance costs, it is still cheap when compared to losing all one has accumulated in a life-time of savings.

MEMO FROM RAY Corliss, manager of KDES: "Do you know Bill that in the short time this station has been on the air we have interviewed over our radio facilities some of the foremost celebrities in the country?" Among them were: Victor Young, Jack Dempsey, Liberace, Billy Eckstine, Lena Horne, Fitz Damone, Don Larson, Ella Fitzgerald, Lillian Roth, Hildegard, Helen Traubel, Frankie Laine, Frank Parker, Ed Goulding, Desi Arnaz, Patti Page, Phil Harris, Johnny Dawson, Richard Greene, Abe Schiller, Dick Contino, Joanne Gilbert, Mary Kaye Trio, Gypsy Rose Lee, Bob Cummings, Morey Amsterdam, Buddy Lester and many others." Good for you, Ray!

DON MILLER, who knows well the tragedy of automobile accidents, is the chairman of the Palm Springs Safety Council. He was in today with membership application which reads: "I will drive courteously at all times, realizing that courtesy is contagious. I will obey all traffic

EARL WILSON:

Slugger's Growing Tall

NEW YORK — Fourteen years ago when Slugger was born, he was a "preemie" — the incubator scales literally groaned under his 4 lbs. 2 oz.

He lost a couple of ounces after birth. Those were dark times for his mother, grandmother and me.

Last night I heard the B. W. telling Joe DiMaggio:

"Slugger's taller than both his parents now."

"Oh, no, he's not taller than me!" I shrieked, proud of my 5-foot-6 1/2."

So we measured, back to back. And Slug's taller than I am by a fraction of an inch. He's evidently going to grow up into a six-footer, leaving his parents down here among the midgets.

I'M SURE IT'S merely a triumph of orange juice and vitamins — still, it's quite a jolt when your child starts looking down at you as well as down on you!

I try to tell myself it's better that way.

"All the great leaders have been tall," I argue with my self. "A little guy can't become a leader."

"Yeah?" My Conscience sneers back. "What about Napoleon, Caesar, Alan Ladd, Billy Rose, Tom Thumb, John McGraw?"

We parents must face it, though, that we are the last of the vanishing race of dwarves — and that the increasing number of young human skyscrapers will make us feel shorter and shorter as older we grow.

AND THERE'S really not much we can do about it. Elevator heels may make us a little taller but there's no elevator hat to make us a highbrow and, unfortunately, our children seem to grow more brilliant as they grow in height.

I have no good answer when I'm told I dance the old-fashioned way, that my crew haircut is impossible, that my clothes are those of a square.

I rejoice that my "preemie" son is now talking about dates and dinner jackets. But when he uses that teenager expression, "Dig me Pigma?" — I wonder just how he means it.

THE MIDNIGHT EARL... Pat Boone's holidaying from Columbia doing 7 concerts and 2 TV shows in England, then returns to classes Jan. 7. Many thousands of pounds richer... Patrick, (Auntie Mame) Dennis said "Guestward Ho" to CBS for a TV series... Doug Watt, the columnist and critic, will make it big as a composer with "All Over Town" and "Heaven Help Me"...

Guy Mitchell found Taffy Tuttle in Detroit shopping for a Ford — preferably one her own age with a couple million in the bank.

Block and Sully made a professional comeback — at the wed-

regulations because it has been proven that 95 per cent of traffic accidents are caused by some violations. I will have my car inspected often to be sure that brakes, lights, etc., are in proper working condition at all times."

With the application for membership a \$1 donation is sought. The new member will then receive a membership card and windshield decal to show that he is helping to reduce the accident toll in Palm Springs. All of us should join Now!

JOINED DAVE Rose, the famous conductor and musical composer at his table in The Dunes the other night and learned that it was a double celebration. It was his wife's birthday and the couple's eighth wedding anniversary. "These two events, plus the advent of Christmas," said Rose, "is really a lulu. Had to buy three gifts all at one time." Said Mrs. Rose: "And I only had to buy him two. One for the wedding anniversary and Christmas."

At the Chi Chi and overheard a young lady say: "We used to live in Portland..." "We?" questioned her male companion. "Yes, my husband and I, but it's all in past tense now—even the husband."

AT THE SAME place: Long table with about 15 people seated. The elderly gentleman was watching his wife dancing with a young male member of the same group. Finally seated, the elderly husband called the young man away from the table to be overheard by a waiter discussing the following problem:

"You're one of my best friends," said the husband. "But the way you have been acting, or rather the situation created tonight between you and my wife is quite embarrassing before all of my friends and yours." What, no duel at dawn? Times are when we do become too, too, civilized.

Donald O'Connor, light-footed dancer and better than excellent — remember when you were one, Walter Winchell? — most gracious and obliging with newsmen. Pat O'Dea of the Beachcomber says he's a "great little guy."

ding reception of their niece, Joan Lois Berke, to Arnold Lederman... Irene Hayes is going to be a big movie star... Morica Davis, ex-Copa beauty, decorated El Morocco with Ray Murphy, the Hollywood oil and liquor man... Julie Styne and ex-partner Lee Robin are writing music for "Ruggles of Red Gap" on NBC Producers Showcase Feb. 3 — first time Styne's done original songs for TV.

THE J. P. McEVAYS, parked their 26-foot trailer at the Commodore Hotel in Havana and flung a big cocktail party in it. Bill O'Dwyer, happy at the reception of his last visit here, will return in February on business. Perhaps, after that — permanently?

EARL'S PEARLS... The average woman doesn't talk to her husband except when he's reading. — Atchinson (Kans.) Globe.

WISH I'D SAID THAT: "A man is judged by the company he keeps waiting." — Woody Allen.

TODAY'S BEST LAUGH: Jonathan Winters suggests some smart tobacco company make a cigaret with two filtered ends — for people who always put the wrong end in their mouths.

"The new Congress will soon convene," notes J. O. Jewett. "There'll be a lot of new faces sworn in and a lot of old ones cussed out."... That's earl, brother.

QUOTES

By UNITED PRESS

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Zoo Superintendent Earl Davis expressing high hopes that the first gorilla born in captivity would survive: "We are treating it as we would a human baby. If it remains in as good condition as it is today, we'll be happy."

PARIS — French Premier Guy Mollet, defending the Anglo-French attack on Egypt:

"In such a situation, to give way to provocation, to resign oneself to violations of law, to accept the accomplished fact, was to expose oneself to new provocations, to new violations of the law and to new successes up to the moment when the general peace would be in peril."

WASHINGTON — Sen. Ralph E. Flanders R-Vt. complaining that progressive education in public schools is equipping American youngsters for life in an ant hill:

"Our educational system is a sham. It's in the hands of professors of a pseudo-science of education who believe that it's not important that the student understand mathematics, just so long as he is working hard at it."

AS OTHER EDITORS

VIEW THE NEWS

NO DICTATORSHIP IN USA

(Wailuku (Hawaii) Maui News)

President Eisenhower has expressed himself as being opposed to the "principle" of the 22nd Amendment to the Constitution which prohibits a President of the United States from serving more than two terms because, he feels, that the people should be permitted to decide whether a man should be returned to the White House without constitutional restraint. He assumes that no man elected to such a high office would abuse the privilege.

In 999 out of 1,000 cases, Mr. Eisenhower would be right but one can never tell when another President with imperialistic ambitions might come along

and establish another dictatorship like the 1932-44 rule of FDR.

It is unfortunate that the many must pay for the selfish ambitions of the few.

The 22nd Amendment is a formidable safeguard against Hitlerism in America.

PARAGRAPHS

If you want a half-hour lecture on chlorophyll, pigmentation and photosynthesis, just mention to a modern child that well, well, the little elves have been out with their paint brushes, coloring the leaves.

"Naturally I'd miss my wife if anything happened to her," says the fellow at the next desk, "but it would be nice to get to a football game just once in time to see the kick-off."

Supervisors Delay Action on Dillon Road Intersection For One Week

The county board of supervisors delayed for a week any action on a request made Wednesday by property owners and operators of motels and other businesses on Dillon Road in the Desert Hot

Springs area that plans for an island at the intersection of Dillon and Indian Avenue be abandoned for the present.

Spokesmen for the large group of Desert Hot Springs property owners who appeared before the supervisors said the island as planned would mislead tourists into traveling five or more miles beyond the turn-off to their motel and business section.

"THEY WILL GET past Dillon Road before they know it exists," declared one man, "and they'll be diverted on Indian Avenue where there are only three houses."

Supervisor George Berkey said the recent paving of Indian Avenue gives the effect that it is the main road into Desert Hot Springs.

ROAD COMMISSIONER A. C. Keith said that other than proper signing he could see no answer to the problem. He said the turn-off to Dillon on the right of the island was designed to carry one-way traffic. Much of the objection was to the narrowness of this road. Some said it has the appearance of a secondary road and that "you can't see where you're going when you hit it, if you do."

The supervisors asked Keith to hold up work on the project until they reach a decision.

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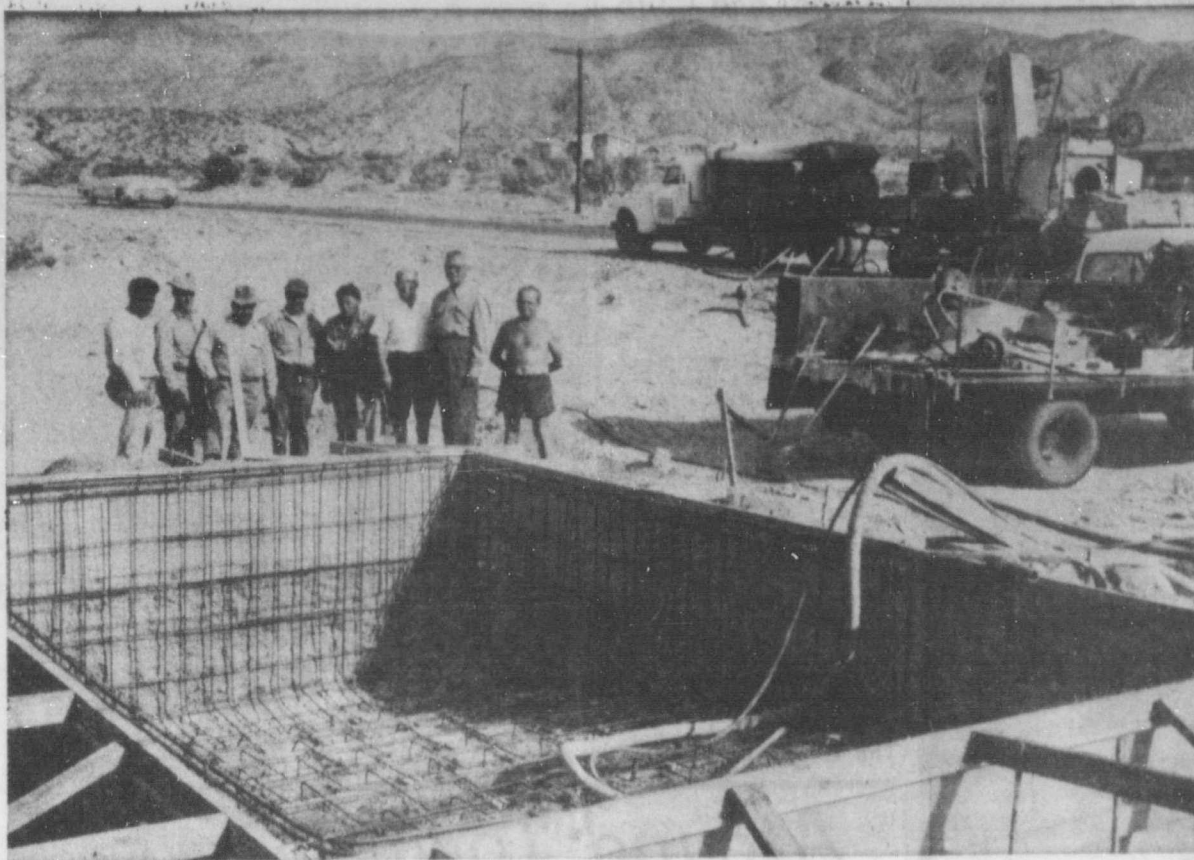
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from right) Aaron Galven, president of Angel View's Board of Directors. The pool is located in front of the clinic, now under construction on Miracle Hill on property donated by Aubrey Wardman, Whittier, one of the community's greatest benefactors. The clinic is expected to be completed this month.

Keith to Speak At Improvement Meeting Jan. 5

A. C. Keith, county surveyor and road commissioner will speak at the Improvement Association this Saturday following the usual pot luck dinner.

Meeting format includes pot luck at 6:30 p. m., followed by a town hall with a featured speaker. The subject of the town hall is a special discussion on zoning along Highway 99. Town Hall meeting starts at 7:20 and the public is invited. Attendance at the Pot Luck is for members and their guests, and newcomers to the area are specially invited.

Dr. James Compton, president, reports Harry Chester, chairman of the building committee, will have a special report on the proposed new Improvement Association Hall.

Dean Boyd Named Official at Baths

Dean Boyd, formerly of Wickenburg, Arizona, has been named assistant operator at The Little Sweden Baths in Desert Hot Springs. It was announced today by the owner, Patricia Brady.

Miss Brady, a graduate of Dr. Flodene's College of Physiotherapy in Los Angeles and of the college of physiotherapy in Battle Creek, Michigan, has been in Desert Hot Springs since 1951.

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Building in DHS, NPS, Hits Record High of \$1,670,900

Building in Desert Hot Springs, North Palm Springs and the immediately surrounding area jumped to a record \$1,670,900 for 1955 — surpassing last year's record total of \$1,440,000 by almost a quarter of a million dollars.

As an example of the growth — total permits issued to Indio City were valued at \$2,100,000 last year. George Caldwell, building inspector, included in his report the statement, "Several residents, motel and business buildings are in

the planning stage — including two modern trailer parks. Also, a party has been in the inspector's office for information on plan requirements for a bank building." The monthly breakdown follows: Jan., \$140,000; Feb., \$119,200; Mar., \$148,500; Apr., \$147,300; May, \$64,500; June, \$104,500; July, \$70,100; Aug., \$109,200; Sept., \$51,600; Oct., \$187,700; Nov., \$315,000; Dec., \$123,300.

Stark Named Sales Manager

At Stark of the United Realty Development Company of Los Angeles, has been named sales manager of the newly opened Hacienda Estates in Desert Hot Springs.

Stark has been associated with the United Realty Co. in their development of Angeles Acres in Resperia for the past two years. Prior to then, he was associated with the same company in their development of the Big Bear Pines Club at Big Bear.

Chessa Joins Stone Office

Palmer Chessa has been named the new associate in the real estate office of Eva M. Stone in Desert Hot Springs. Chessa has maintained his own real estate office in Los Angeles for the past 14 years.

Visiting Mrs. Stone over the holidays were Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Reissinger of Los Angeles and Culver City. Dr. Reissinger, a well-known physiotherapist, plans to open offices in Desert Hot Springs within the next few weeks.

Desert Progress Group to Meet

The Desert Progress Organization of Desert Hot Springs will hold its first meeting of 1956 at 3 p. m., Saturday, at the Devers Real Estate Office on Indian Avenue at Dillon Road.

On the agenda for discussion is the problem of a road turn from Indian Avenue down Dillon Road.

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Bennett Hosts Staff at Party

Martin Bennett of the Sunair Land Company in Desert Hot Springs hosted a dinner party last week at the Tampico Restaurant in Cathedral City, for his office associates.

Bennett, who has been engaged in construction work for the past 15 years, opened his real estate office in Desert Hot Springs two years ago. Recently he opened a second office across from the bath house.

Among the guests were Floyd E.

Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Dudrow, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duval, Mr. and Mrs. O. Cody and Thelma Foley and Gertrude Winsbrow.

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IN A CANDLELIGHT ceremony at the Palm Desert Community Church, Karen Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield R. Andrews of Olympia, Washington and Palm Desert, was married to Robert D. Bergquist on Dec. 28. (Anderson Photo).

Bergquist-Andrews Vows Recited by Candlelight

Karen Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield R. Andrews, formerly of Olympia, Washington and now of Palm Desert, was married December 28 to Robert D. Bergquist son of Mr. and Mrs. Erick Bergquist of Hood Canal, Washington and Palm Desert. Christmas poinsettias decorated the church. The candlelight, double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Warren McClain at Palm Desert Community Church. Harry Tomlinson sang "The Lords Prayer."

The bride wore a waltz-length, gown of pure white silk, with long sleeves and pearl-sequined neckline, with six tiers of chantilly lace

ruffles from waistline to hem in the back. The finger tip length veil, was worn with a heart-shaped cap, bordered with lace and tiny pearls.

She carried a white prayer book with three white orchids, ribbon streamers and stephanotis.

Bridal attendants were: maid of honor, Miss Winnette Andrews, sister of the bride, from Ashland, Oregon; bridesmaids, Mrs. Bea Coleman of San Bernardino, and Miss Jacqueline Andrews, sister, of Palm Desert. They wore red taffeta gowns, princess-styled, with white velvet snow hats, white gloves and slippers, and carried red and white Colonial nosegays.

Best man was Carl Coleman Jr., of San Bernardino, and ushers were Richard Commack and Frank Walker, both of San Bernardino.

The reception followed at the bride's home at Ironwood and Verba Santa Drive in Palm Desert. Serving at the reception were Mrs. Carl Tegan, Mrs. Carl Coleman Sr., Mrs. Marian Davenport and Mrs. Harold Carpenter.

Among out-of-town guests were the bride's grandparents Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Andrews and H. B. Hutchinson of Olympia, Washington, and an aunt Mrs. Carl Tegan, also of Olympia.

After honeymooning in San Diego, the young couple are at home in San Bernardino, where the groom is attending Valley College and the bride is employed as an oral surgeon.

Vermonters Here
Judge and Mrs. Harry B. Chase of Brattleboro, Vermont and New York (he's retired Judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals) have been visiting Miss Gertrude Hunt. While here they stayed at R. F. Outcault's Ranch House, on West Arenas Road.

Social and Club CALENDAR

(Clubs and organizations are invited to call in calendar dates to 5065.)

January 6
P. S. Music Society concert, Jewish Community Center, 4 p.m.

January 7
P. S. Woman's Club, clubhouse, 2 p.m.

January 8
Sociologists, Biltmore, noon.
Kiwanis, Chi Chi, noon.
Women's Group of Jewish Center, at Center, 332 W. Alejo, noon.
Desert Dues, Elks Lodge, 8 p. m.

January 9
Rotary Club, Tennis Club, noon.
Rotary Anns, Tennis Club, noon.
P. S. Optimists, Del Tahquitz, noon.

January 10
Lions, Chi Chi, noon.
Elks Lodge No. 1905, 8 p.m.
Eastern Star, Masonic Temple, 8 p.m.
Capricorn Ball, Racquet Club.



STAND BACK MEN while little Mark Wasserman takes a deep breath and aims a lusty blow at candles lighting his birthday cake. Twenty-two youngsters, accompanied by their mothers, helped Mark celebrate his first birthday Saturday. Mark is the son of Mel and Marjorie (holding Mark) Wasserman, of 717 Desert Way. (Desert Sun Photo).

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Around Town

with Hildy Crawford

New born 1957 . . . is facing a sophisticated schedule of events in Palm Springs . . . guaranteed to make an old man out of him . . . in twelve months time . . . Allowing a gap of a few days . . . to recover from the celebration of the New Year . . . we're off on a new party circuit . . . with several big events scheduled for January . . . as well as the usual number of smaller, less formal affairs . . . Coming up soon is the Capricorn Ball at the Racquet Club . . . the annual

Night in Trinidad at the Ranch Club . . . and the Playhouse preview performance . . . followed by the Sponsors Ball . . . and early in February will be the Golden Nugget Ball . . .

Tomorrow night the Francis Pruitts . . . will entertain around 75 . . . at a convivial post-New Year's party . . . with several guests driving down from Encino, Sherman Oaks and Santa Barbara . . . On Sunday evening . . . Dolly Marcuse is having a group in for cocktails at her Via Las Palmas home on Sunday evening . . .

If the party's as much fun as the invitations . . . Peggy and Randy Christie will have a whing-ding . . . when they entertain at cocktails and dinner in El Mirador's South Pacific Room . . . On February 23 . . . the big purple invitations . . . invite the guests to "a party in Perfectly Bad Taste" . . . and suggest the correct garb for the evening will be outdated duds in mixed colors . . . in the worst possible taste . . . with a prize for the one who achieves the worst . . . Should be fun . . .

Dick and Edith Edwards postcard from Taxco . . . that they had a glorious time spending Christmas South of the Border . . . and that they saw the Cordereys and Dietrichs all having fun . . . The Edwards were going to Acapulco and then back to Cuernavaca . . . before starting a leisurely trip home . . . A postcard from Anita Haskell Jones . . . from up in the snowy country in Idaho . . . says . . . "There's only one thing P.S. needs . . . and that's the tram to reach our own skiing country" . . .

The Harry H. Hilps of San Francisco . . . arrive soon in Palm Springs . . . to spend the month in their apartment in Sunset Towers.

Tom and Jeri Hull of the Hollywood Roosevelt . . . have been spending a few days in Palm Springs at the Marion Hicks home . . . Former home owners, the Hulls have not been here much this past year . . . After their two months in Europe . . . they rented a house in Acapulco . . . they entertained many interesting Turner and Lex Barker . . . and

the Ex-Presidente of Mexico . . .

Marj Pohl, who has been at her Redlands home with her father . . . during his prolonged illness and death . . . will spend this weekend in North Hollywood with her brother Wadsworth E. Pohl, who is technical director of Technicolor . . . and then will be in Redlands about

fairs . . . before coming back to Palm Springs to resume her work as publicist for the Racquet Club . . . Marj, who has been greatly missed at social affairs so far this season . . . also writes a Sunday column for the Los Angeles Examiner . . .

Virginia Bruce and her husband All Ipar . . . left yesterday after spending the New Year's holidays here at Oasis . . . and the Donald O'Connors ditto at La Paz . . . Ronald Coleman and Benita Hume and their 12-year-old daughter were dining at the Steak Ranch Wednesday evening . . .

Party Series Given by Four Sets of Hosts

Four sets of hosts joined in welcoming the New Year by giving a series of progressive cocktail parties which wound up at the Ranch Club for dinner and dancing around 11 p.m.

The party series started at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jusela at 383 Sonora, where canapes included Chinese varieties.

From there the party progressed to the Max Korngutes' new home at 1555 Indian Trail, and this was a combination housewarming and New Year's party. A superb selection of hors d'oeuvres, including caviar and other delicacies, was served by candlelight.

Hats, favors, horns and serpentine awaited the merry group at the Leo Blum home at 1524 South Calle Marcus, and the table, decorated in the New Year's motif, offered an array of foods.

The fourth set of hosts were the Harry Warrens of Indio.

Among out-of-town guests at the progressive party were: the Paul Siedels of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Silvers of Long Beach, and their daughter and son-in-law the Harry Saversham of Hollywood, the Herman Verfalls of Los Angeles, Trude Stevens and the David Glassmans of Beverly Hills.

After welcoming in the New Year at the Ranch Club, the whole party went by the El Mirador for a nightcap.

Party Celebrates First Birthday of Mark Wasserman

Twenty-two youngsters, ranging from 12 months to six years of age, happily voiced a lusty rendition of the birthday song Saturday to commemorate the first birthday of little Mark Wasserman.

Mark, the son of Mel and Marjorie Wasserman, 717 Desert Way, got the party under way by opening gifts and wading through a menu of cake, ice cream, fruit punch and candy as his guests donned paper hats, tooted noise makers and popped balloons.

Guests of Mark and his mother were Michele Ranes, Debby Bronstein, Larry Mancell, Beth Ann Land, Larry Pitts, Betsy and Biff Blashek, Doug Miller, Cousins Harvey and Mardy Wasserman, Billie and Terry Lynn Ellis, Cherie Dawn and Rochelle Fisher, Thurman Arnold III, Stevie and Marlene Chapman, Glenn Wexler, Nick and Rick Mutascio, and Wendy and Laurel Wissman.

Mrs. Wasserman was assisted by guest mothers Mmes. Hay Ranes, Bill Bronstein, Ted Land, Zachary Pitts, Robert Blashek, Don Miller, Alvin Wasserman, William Ellis, J. David Fisher, Thurman Arnold Jr., Raymond Chapman, Don Wexler, Nick Mutascio, Mort Weissman, Bob Manchell, and Mark's grandmother, Mrs. Joe Wasserman.

Bakers Hold Open House

The New Years Day open house at the Leo Baker home at 1432 Calle Maria, welcomed in a New Year and welcomed back their son-in-law Jerome Friedman, who has been with the United States Army in Korea. Friends dropped in at the Bakers' home all day long.

Jerome's wife Joan has been with her parents while he was in service. The young couple will be here for a few days and then go to Brentwood to make their home. He plans to enter the advertising business.

Recent Guests at the Rossmore Hotel were Victor Mature, Joe Ross, attorney for Eddie Fisher and Frank Sinatra, Gene Norman, disc jockey from Los Angeles, and Mildred Valenti starlet with Universal Studios.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boatman and family from Bloomfield, Iowa, who have been vacationing at the Carmelita Hotel for the past week and a half, left for home Wednesday. Boatman was stationed in Palm Springs during the war with the Air Transport Command. While here they attended the Rose Bowl game.

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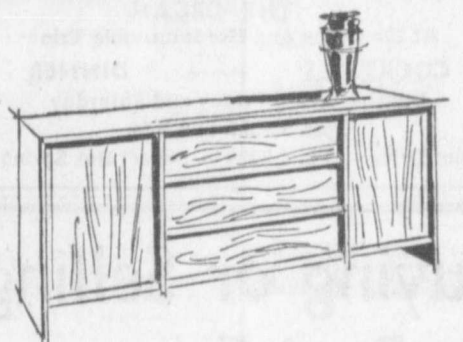
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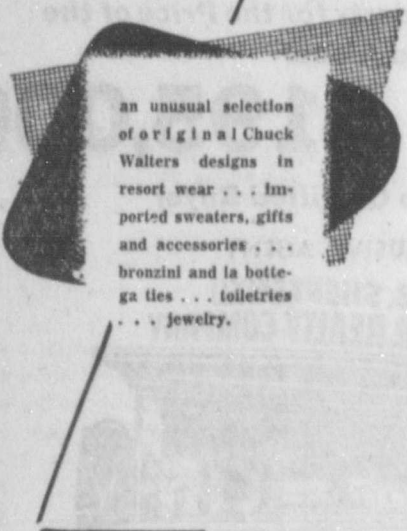
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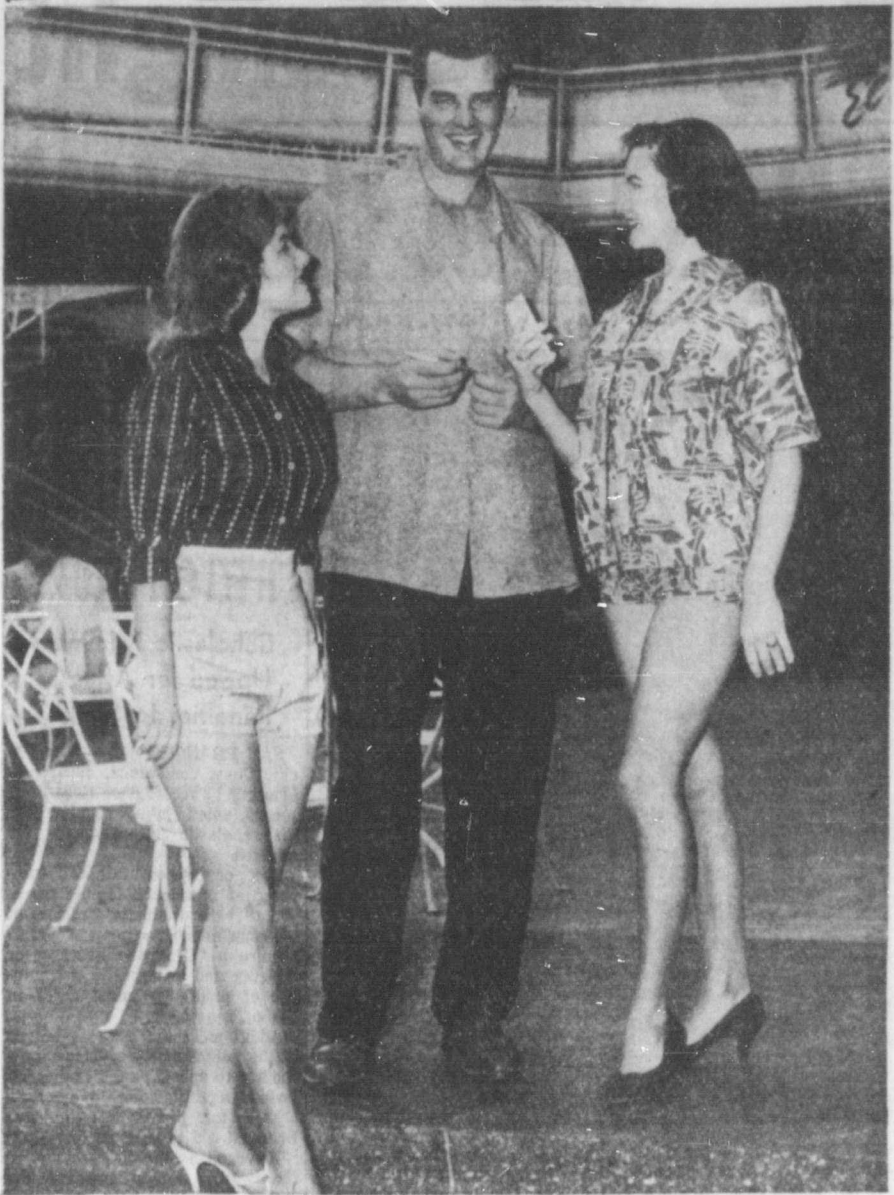
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Outbreak of Residential Tragedies In Nation Claims Lives of 36 Persons

By UNITED PRESS
Fires and deadly fumes have killed more than 35 persons, most of them children, in an outbreak of residential tragedies across the nation.

A survey by United Press showed a total of 36 persons killed, 2 of them children. Fires claimed

28 lives, all but six of them youngsters.

CARBON MONOXIDE fumes were blamed for the deaths of a couple and their child and for a father and four of his children.

The worst fire tragedies killed six persons each at Jeffersonville, Ga., and Temple, Pa.

Five members of one family were killed in a home fire at Marshall, Mo., three small children burned to death in a blaze near Okolona, Miss., a father and daughter died in a fire at Dubuque Iowa, and two children were killed in a Birmingham, Ala., blaze.

AT TROY, N.Y., Joseph Lashway, 42, and his three sons and a daughter died shortly after they were found unconscious in their homes late Thursday. Authorities said carbon monoxide apparently was responsible for the deaths.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and their eight-year-old daughter died in their Columbus, Ohio, home when carbon monoxide fumes filled the house from an unvented gas heater.

The fire at Jeffersonville killed A. Lucius Ringwood, 40, his wife and their four children.

AN OVERHEATED kerosene stove was blamed for the fire at Temple. Trapped and killed by the flames in their one-story frame home were Mrs. Esther Rothermel, 48; her grandchildren, Jimmy Brobst, one, and his three-year-old sister Peggy; her nieces, Donna Rothermel, two, and Carol Ann Fromm, four; and a nephew, four-year-old Eddie Rothermel, Donna's brother.

Orvell Swisher, 37, his wife and their three children died in the fire at their home near Marshall.

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Valley Service Group Urges Litter Control

The Valley Service Clubs Coordinating Council, composed of the presidents of all service clubs in the Hemet-San Jacinto area, told the county board of supervisors this week that they feel an effort should be made to prevent highway litter on a county-wide basis.

In a letter to the board, G. Roger Brubaker, president of the Council and of the Kiwanis Club of Hemet, said the Council stands ready to assist the board in any way possible. The letter was referred to the Riverside County Board of Trade as a "coordinating agent" at the suggestion of Supervisor George Berkey.

DURING A discussion on the roadside litter problem, County Administrative Officer Clay Begole remarked that Monterey County has been buying litter bags and distributing them to service stations and other organizations for some time.

"They're not sold on it any more though," said Supervisor Berkey. "Handed the bags by the service stations, motorists use them, but after filling them with debris they throw them out side of the road. Also, it is now costing the county \$6,000 a year to buy the bags."

BERKEY SAID that if service stations would go a step further and furnish trash barrels for disposal of the litter-filled bags it might help, but then there would be the problem of disposal of the contents of the trash barrels.

Supervisor William Jones said he understands that the state of Idaho has an effective program which includes service station trash barrels, but he said he doesn't know what the service stations do with the trash.

Other clubs represented in the Coordinating Council, besides the Hemet Kiwanis Club, are the Lions Club of Hemet and San Jacinto, Rotary Club of the two cities, Exchange Club of Hemet and San Jacinto, 20-30 Club of Hemet, and the Hemet Junior Chamber of Commerce.



IT'S A SMALL WORLD was proven again this week with the chance meeting in a local bank of Dr. and Mrs. Harold D. Choche of San Mateo, and Dr. Benjamin Goldberg of Palm Springs. The one other time and two medical men met was last fall when Dr. Goldberg, special consultant to Riverside County Supervisors on behalf of the county hospital, appeared before the State Hospital Ad-

visory Council (Dr. Choche is a member) in a successful effort to secure funds for the county institution. Dr. Choche also is director of health and welfare for San Mateo County, and is in charge of all institutions there. He and his wife and children, Cecile and Peter, vacationed here at Warm Sands. (Desert Sun Photo.)

New Highway Death Record Set During '56

CHICAGO 30—The National Safety Council today reported a record 40,200 persons were killed in traffic accidents in 1956, the greatest slaughter on the nation's highways in 15 years.

And the council added a grim warning that there is no indication the reckless traffic toll will slacken in the near future.

The council, which tabulates traffic deaths and accidents across the nation, said last year's toll broke the previous record of 39,969 deaths, set in 1941.

IT SAID FIGURES also show the ratio of traffic deaths per mile still is climbing, indicating more disastrous records will be set in the future.

The council's announcement came on the heels of the worst holiday traffic carnage in history. An all-time holiday record of 712 deaths was recorded in the nation during the Christmas weekend and this was followed by a New Year's weekend record of 412 fatalities. The total of 1,124 deaths also was a record for the combined weekends.

AN INDICATION of the increasing death rate on the highways was in the fact the 1955 traffic toll was 38,426, or about 1,700 under last year.

CATHERINE T. CORDREY, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

(SEAL)
LUCILLE B. MITCHELL
Notary Public in and for said County and State.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO)
On December 10, 1956, before me, Doris Killam, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared DAVID E. BEATTY and DAVID F. BEATTY, known to me to be the President and Secretary, respectively, of BEATTY INDUSTRIES, INC., the corporation that executed the within instrument, and known to me to be the person whose names are subscribed to the within instrument pursuant to the by-laws or a resolution of its board of directors.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

(SEAL)
DORIS KILLAM
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New West

Man from Laramie
Gone, Mayor Is Lady

LARAMIE, Wyo. 30—The old West is dead, for sure. The man from Laramie is now a lady.

Mrs. Josephine Fay was elected by the City Council—unanimously—as Laramie's first woman mayor Wednesday night.

She has handled the city's purse strings for the past two years, anyway, and the men decided to give her the gavel, too.

Employees Profit

AYER, Mass. 30—Annually for 21 years the employees of the Hartnett Tanning Co. have shared the firm's profits. This year the 264 workers divided \$141,971, getting an average of \$537 each.

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ROCKS, MADGE O.	2601
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SHEPTENKO, PETER B. 2727	
The Pioneer Realty Co.	
475 N. Palm Canyon Dr.	
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JORGENSEN, E. M.	8-3401
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600 2nd St.	
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HOFFMAN, MILTON A.	9-3941
P.O. BOX 306	
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P.O. Box 285	
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EWART, ESTELLA C. 8-7141	
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71-811 Highway 111	8-3881
TED SMITH	8-5022
71-691 Highway 111	
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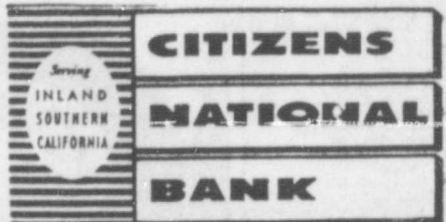
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TODAY'S SPORTS PARADE

By OSCAR FRALEY
United Press Sports Writer
Reg. U.S. Pat.-Off.

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico. — Horse racing is ready today to go modern in Puerto Rico after 30 years of horse and buggy operation.

A syndicate of New York, Philadelphia and Washington businessmen has moved in and erected one of the world's most beautiful and modern racing plants. Snuggled in the shadow of El Yunque, Puerto Rico's highest mountain, it is an eye-catching masterpiece.

But this is one shot not aimed at the "tourista."

For the new track, El Comandante, has a gimmick going for it which is going to do things for its stock on the Wall Street boards. This is off-track betting, long a bone of contention in the United States, through which the most isolated island will be able to place a bet and for as little as 25 cents.

ALL ACROSS Puerto Rico's breadth, there have been scattered 300 agents who will take bets for the pool. These bets are on a six-race parlay and everybody is hoping to get rich, from the track owners right down to the lowliest sugar cane worker with 25 itching pennies.

Curly Byrd, the white-haired former University of Maryland president, was the construction boss for El Comandante and the man who once turned out gridiron juggernauts for the Terrapins has done his usual masterful job. Because El Comandante is as modern as tomorrow's automobiles and as scenic as a picture postcard.

The one-mile track, with a seating capacity of 20,000 will operate three times weekly throughout the year and has stable room for 450 thoroughbreds. But this picture plant wasn't exactly brought about without difficulty.

IT ORIGINALLY was the brainchild of a Florida investment group which went broke. The new group then took over and figured that \$2,500,000 would do the job. They were half right. It cost them \$5 million. Then there was opposition from the two ancient racing plants which held a three-decade lock on the sport in Puerto Rico. This, too, finally was overcome.

But then the horsemen protested that the racing strip was unsafe and certain soft spots had to be replaced. And finally to top it all off, after the horsemen were satisfied, it developed that one of the old tracks had a corner on the horse vans and refused to let the horsemen use them to shift their horses.

But El Comandante finally is ready—and from now on the sharks are going to find slim pickings at the beaches.

Banning Wins in Overtime, 34-32

Banning's entry in the City Basketball League defeated the Blue Sox Wednesday night 34-32 in the most exciting game of the schedule so far on the high school gym floor.

It was also the first overtime game of the season.

With five seconds to go and the Blue Sox leading 32 to 30, Red Haynes flipped one through the netting from 20 feet out to knit the count at 32-all. In the overtime period Chet Gribner sewed it up with a two-pointer.

The Blue Sox took an early lead but trailed at half-time 18-20. They made it up in the third period and went ahead in the fourth only to be nipped at the wire. In the other game of the double-header, Laurie's Steak Ranch took its sixth straight game, trimming the Boys Club 38-28.

The league-leaders got away to a fast start and were out in front 25-13 at the half and 33-20 as the final period started.

Waner Seriously Ill In Sarasota Hospital

SARASOTA, Fla. — Paul Big Poison Waner, a member of Baseball's Hall of Fame, was seriously ill today in a hospital with an attack of pneumonia.

The 53-year-old former Pittsburgh Pirates' star outfielder, stricken Sunday night at his home, was being kept in an oxygen tent most of the time.

College Basketball

By UNITED PRESS

East
Holy Cross 111, Massachusetts 96
Rutgers 70, Delaware 64
St. Bonaventure 82, Lehigh 62
Wake Forest 72, George Washington 34
Lafayette 69, Morehead 64
Lincoln 72, Bethany 61

South
Georgia Tech 85, Howard 54
Tennessee 58, Grambling 34
Loyola, Md., 53, Baltimore 38
Christian Brothers 58, Arkansas 43
Colorado 73, Miami, Fla., 69

Senior Bowl, Mobile, Ala.
Final
Spring Hill 85, Morehead, Ky., 79

Midwest
Bradley 67, St. John's, N. Y., 78
Kalamazoo 64, Calvin 38
Duquesne 79, Dayton 71
Xavier, O., 87, Western Ky. 79
Evansville 91, Indiana 81, 25
Ball State 73, 66, Eastern Mich. 79
Oklahoma City 80, Arizona 55

Southwest
Rice Institute 55, Texas A. & M. 39
Lamar Tech 78, North Tex. 81

Indians Open Defense of Cage Title Tonight

Host San Jac Here in First League Game

Opening Opponent
Touted as Team to
Beat in '57 Race

By LINDSAY NIELSON
Palm Springs High School Indians start the defense of their Riverside County League basketball title tonight on the home hardwoods with the team which is favored to be one of the chief contenders for the 1957 crown—San Jacinto—as opponent.

San Jacinto was the only team to defeat the Indians in their successful title quest last season.

B teams of the two schools will clash at 7 p.m. and Varsity teams at 8 p.m.

SAN JACINTO, on the basis of its pre-league record and returning stars, will go into the game favored to win over the local quintet.

San Jac pins its hopes on the one-two punch of left-handed Wayne Wilson, 6-foot one, and right-handed Blayne Wilson, 6-foot one. The twins are touted as giving the Tigers an edge over Banning High in the race for the 1957 title.

COACH AL KAZMIER'S Indian hoopers are admittedly not as strong as they were last year. The biggest loss was Charley Jordan, who broke almost every scoring record in the league last year. Mickey Pellum, O. B. Crawford and Vic Reyes of last year's championship team, are also gone.

Sam Jones and Bill Beck of last year's winners, are back and will be on the floor tonight.

A large turnout of local fans is expected at the high school gymnasium for the opening of the new season.

Parker Named In UP Pro Poll In UP Pro Ball

NEW YORK. — Buddy Parker, whose Detroit Lions finished second last season after winding up last in 1955, today was named National Football League "Coach of the Year" in the annual United Press poll.

Parker, whose Lions lost the Western Division title to the Chicago Bears by a half-game, received nine votes in balloting by 25 sports writers who covered the 1956 campaign in the various league cities.

Jim Lee Howell, who guided the New York Giants to their first Eastern Division title in 10 years and their first league championship in 18, was runnerup with six votes.

Joe Kuharich, who kept the Washington Redskins in the Eastern race until the final week of the season, was third in the voting with five ballots.

Chester 13 to 5 To Take Martinez

WASHINGTON. — Ike Chestnut of New York is a 13-5 choice to spoil the United States ring debut of Isidro Martinez, featherweight champion of Panama, in their TV 10-rounder tonight at the Capitol Arena.

The 25-year-old Chestnut has won 23 of his 33 bouts. He fought three draws and lost seven times. He has scored three knockouts. Martinez, 21, has had 27 professional fights and scored 14 of his 24 victories by knockouts. He has lost only three times.



MORE POLO will be on tap for local fans next Sunday at Desert Air Hotel when La Jolla and Desert Air teams clash. Above is an action shot of last Sunday's game between San Francisco and Desert Air, won by the latter. Left is David Moore of Burlingame, Desert Air team member, and right, Bob Smith of San Francisco. (Lee Wenzel Photo.)

Robinson Protests Conduct Of Ring Officials in Title Bout

NEW YORK (UP).—Sugar Ray Robinson filed an official protest today against the officiating at Wednesday night's fight with Gene Fullmer and called a press conference to announce his future plans.

Those plans are expected to include "a \$250,000 return title bout" with young Fullmer, who won Ray's middleweight crown on a decision before a sellout 18,134 at Madison Square Garden.

Promoter Jim Norris, who hopes to stage the second Gene-Ray fight at New York or Chicago, said it will draw "between \$250,000 and \$275,000."

In a long telegram of protest to the N. Y. State Athletic Commission, Ernie Braca—Robinson's co-manager—today accused Referee Ruby Goldstein of letting Fullmer use foul tactics. Braca said those tactics included butting, heeling with the glove laces, wrestling, hitting low and rabbit-punching to the back of the neck.

The commission will be unable to consider the protest until its next meeting, next Friday.

In addition to losing his 160-pound crown, Robinson lost a \$42,000 chunk of his \$138,190 purse to the U. S. Bureau of Internal Revenue for back income taxes Thursday. One of his handlers disclosed. In addition, Nicholas G. Troilo, an irate Philadelphia promoter, has filed a \$75,000 suit against him for alleged breach of contract to fight there.

Boyer got an unspecified "increase in pay," as well he might after a year in which he battled 306, fifth best in the league, drove in 98 runs, clouted 26 homers, and stole 8 bases in 11 tries.

But Card General Manager Frank Lane, who already has signed pacts from 19 players, emphasized, "Ken hasn't approached his peak performance yet. He has a tremendous potential."

Walls Wins Award

PITTSBURGH. — Outfielder Lee Walls has won the John L. Heron Memorial Award as the Pittsburgh Pirates' outstanding rookie for the 1956 season. The award was made by the Pittsburgh Chapter of the Baseball Writers Association of America.

The jury called the recess Thursday in order to permit San Antonio witnesses to appear.

Seniors Slate Next Tourney Jan. 15 to 17

54-Hole Best Ball
Twosome; Many More
Events on Program

January tournament of the Palm Springs Desert Senior Golf Association has been scheduled for January 15, 16, and 17 at three local golf courses, it was announced this week by Association President B. F. Shearer.

The main flight will be a 54-hole best ball twosome event with the first day's play, Tuesday, January 15, at O'Donnell Golf Club. Wednesday, January 16, play will shift to Tamarisk Country Club and the final 18 will be played Thursday, January 17 at Thunderbird Golf and Country Club.

SPECIAL EVENTS have been arranged for each day. Play will start in the best ball twosome main event at 8 a. m. each day including the President's Guest flights. The daily best ball foursome event will also get under way each day at 8 a. m.

A special committee consisting of William O. McKay, Reuben H. Fleet and J. E. French will conduct the drawing for pairings in the best ball twosome and President's Guest flights on January 14. Entries close January 13. The original twosome pairings will prevail throughout the tournament but there will be new pairings for the best ball foursome tourney each day.

PRIZES will be awarded in all brackets and there will be special prizes Tuesday at O'Donnell's in a hole-in-one play at the 3rd and 12th holes, Wednesday at the 2nd and 12th at Tamarisk, and at No. 8 and No. 16 at Thunderbird Thursday.

Luncheons are scheduled each day at the different clubs with a wind-up dinner and award of prizes at Thunderbird Country Club Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

Centella Seeking Bout With Carter After Easy Win

LOS ANGELES. — Kid Centella, hard-punching Nicaraguan brawler, today sought a bout with Jimmy Carter, former world's lightweight champion, after chalking up his fourth straight knockout.

It took Centella, 136½, only 1:01 of the fifth round Thursday night to floor Art Ramponi, 135, Oakland, in a scheduled 10-round main event at Olympic Auditorium.

The 2-1 favored Centella unleashed a left hook to the head that sent Ramponi down for the final count. Ramponi, on furlough from the Army at Ft. Carson, Colo., struggled to get up but was on his knees at the count of 10.

Centella told United Press his manager was negotiating a bout with Carter here next month.

Bairdstown Tops

MIAMI, Fla. — Calumet Farms' Bairdstown has been assigned 126 pounds for the \$100,000 Widener Handicap at Hialeah on Feb. 23. Needles, last year's Kentucky Derby winner, drew a 124 pound impost while Dedicate was pegged at 123.

BASEBALL GREATS TO PLAY

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Baseball greats of the past go back into action Saturday, Jan. 19, for the second annual major league old-timers' game for the benefit of the March of Dimes.

SPORTS in the SUN

The Desert Sun

Friday, Jan. 4, 1956

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BOB FELLER, one of the all-time greats of baseball, has called it quits and this picture, taken when he was honored for his 20 years in the game, tells the story. The Indians' pitcher turned down a front office offer and also several offers from other teams to pursue a career in the insurance business. (International)

UCLA FAVORED AS PCC FIVES OPEN CAMPAIGN

SAN FRANCISCO. — The boys start playing basketball for keeps along the Pacific Coast tonight, and the big job will be to knock UCLA and the University of San Francisco out from under their respective crowns.

But the job shouldn't be as tough as last year, when the Bruins swept through 16 consecutive Pacific Coast Conference games and the Dons rolled undefeated on their way to the national championship and an all-time college record of 60 straight victories. USF just has not been the same since Big Bill Russell moved on to make his mark in the professional ranks, but the Dons showed flashes of power in the early season before being plagued by injuries.

Despite a dismal showing in recent games, the national champs downed Seattle—with Elgin Baylor—and a good California team to prove they still have the power to retain their California Basketball Association title.

The prospects of a closed race in the PCC stem not from any apparent weakness on the part of UCLA, but rather from flashes of class in recent games on the part of California and Oregon State.

And even if the Bruins are able to come up with the best record in the conference, they have little to gain but satisfaction. The PCC fathers have barred UCLA from the NCAA playoffs, along with Southern California and Washington.

So that narrows the race for conference representative to Stanford, California, Oregon, Oregon State, Washington State and Idaho.

As conference play gets under way tonight, UCLA carries a season record of nine wins and one loss against the Idaho Vandals, who have won six out of 10. And USC lays its 6-4 record on the line against a University of Washington team that has salvaged only three out of nine.

The Jayhawk seven-footer tallied 36 points against Oklahoma and 45 against Colorado during the past week to boost his average to 34.0 points per game for the season. In second place again, at 30.3 points per game, was senior Grady Wallace of South Carolina.

These were the only two players among the nation's major-league athletes who were scoring at better than 30 per game.

This falling off also was reflected again in team statistics, which showed Ohio University on top in scoring with 91.0 points per game and Morehead, the defending scoring champion, was the only other team over 88 points with a 90.4 mark.

Palm Springs Purse to Coverit

ARCADIA. — A field of 12 horses went postward today in the featured \$7,500 Solidarity Purse over a six-furlong course at Santa Anita Park.

Larks Music, Brighter Days, Mobile and Brother Tex were among the entries for the race for four-year-olds and up.

Coverit captured her second straight race Thursday in winning the \$7,500 Palm Springs Purse by a nose over Betty Rose. Coverit was a longest shot winner on opening day last week.

Jockey Gordon Glisson booted Coverit over the six furlong course in 1:10 3-5 and the winner returned \$12.10. Solid Rae was third.

TIBBS, SALAS SIGNED

HOLLYWOOD. — Tommy Tibbs of Boston and Lauro Salas will meet at Legion Stadium in a rescheduled 10-round main event Jan. 12, matchmaker Jackie Leonard disclosed today.

PCC Stiffens Code, Stands Firm on Bans

Scholastic Minimum
Upped for Athletes;
Penalties to Stick

SAN FRANCISCO. — The Pacific Coast Conference, apparently ignoring its recent poor Rose Bowl record, voted Thursday to increase the scholastic requirements for athletes.

The conference fathers, composed of presidents, faculty representatives and athletic directors of the nine member schools, voted to require a "C" grade average for athletes and to increase the number of units they must carry in the off-season.

Additionally the representatives at the winter meeting voted unanimously to uphold penalties already levied against four member schools for permitting excessive financial aid to athletes.

However, at the first session of the two-day winter meeting the fathers considered only four points of a new 10-point code proposed by the presidents' council last month and made no announcements on changes in the regulations to permit additional financial aid to athletes.

THE PROPOSED CODE offered increased money aid for athletes but proposed more stringent punishment for offenders.

Dr. Glenn Seaborg of the University of California, who spoke for the conference, said that there was no move at the closed-door session to modify the penalties against four schools.

The penalties included docking football players from UCLA and Southern California a year's eligibility and banning Washington, UCLA and USC from post season contests, including the Rose Bowl, for two or three years.

The latter three schools are also prohibited from winning a conference championship, no matter what their record, for the period of their ban.

THE CONFERENCE also rejected, by a 4-5 vote, a proposal to abolish the recent robin athletic schedule. The four punished schools voted for abandonment of the schedule. They had been reported anxious to schedule more inter-sectional games which draw more attendance.

The group instead approved a plan to let a member school out of a scheduled game if it can provide the conference with "good and sufficient reason."

Seaborg said good and sufficient reason might mean a school's "lack of confidence in the general athletic program of another, such as the suspicion it was lowering entrance requirements for athletes or that it was giving athletes an illegal subsidy."

The wording of the section said that the burden of proof was on the protesting school and Seaborg said he saw no indication from the meeting that any member school was preparing to invoke the new code change.

Peres to Fight

NEW YORK. — World flyweight champion Pascual Perez has agreed to defend his title against Memo Diez of Mexico at Buenos Aires, Jan. 23, it was announced Thursday by Charley Johnston, who is negotiating the fight.

Postpone Ski Meet

CORTINA, Italy. — The sixth Campari Trophy ski jumping meet which was scheduled to be held here today, has been postponed indefinitely because of a lack of foreign competitors.

FAVOR MIDDLECOFF 3-1 TO CAPTURE L.A. OPEN

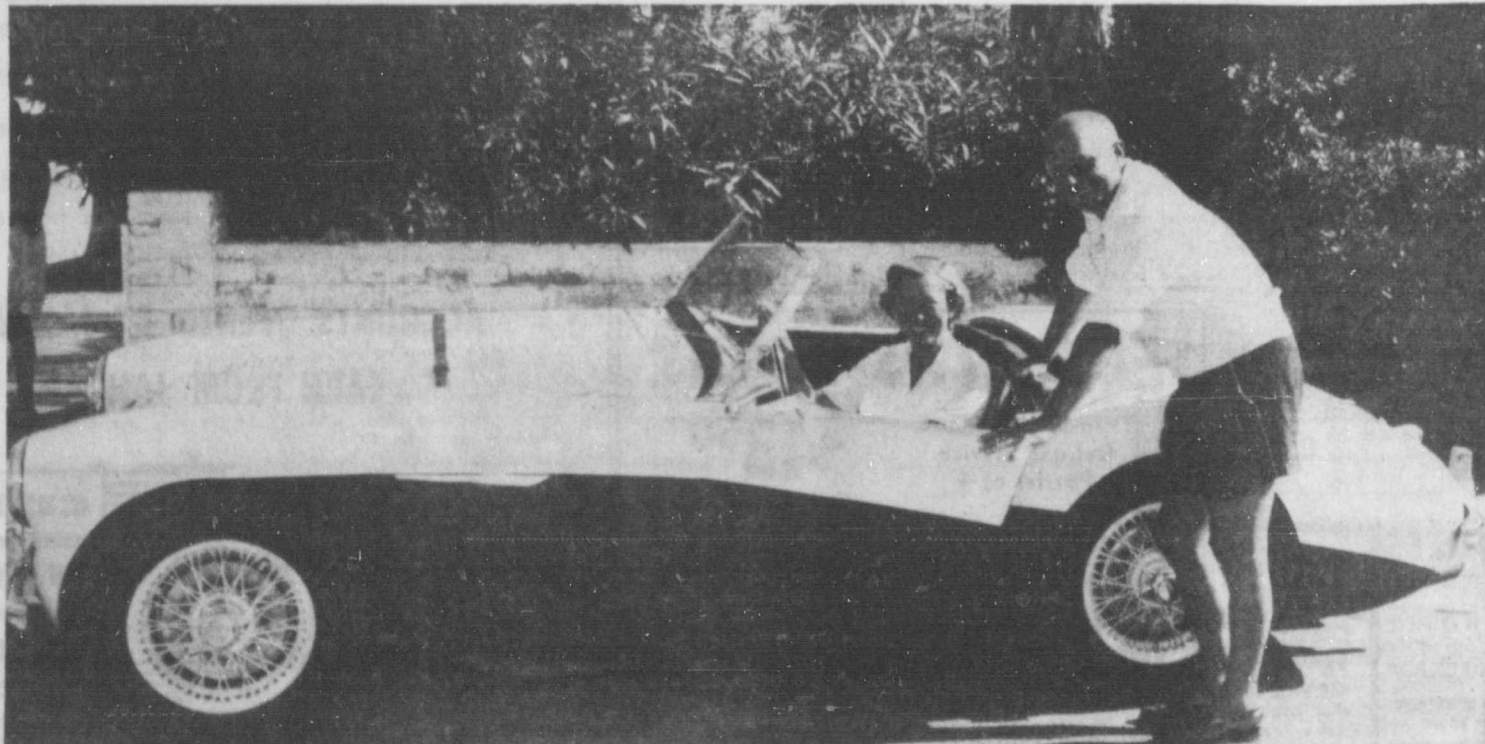
LOS ANGELES, Calif. — A crack field of professionals, all armed with a new mental attitude toward the game of golf since the institution of set fines for unbecoming conduct, teed off today in the 31st annual Los Angeles Open.

With a top prize of \$7,000 for first place and a chance to gain an early lead in the 1957 money standings, nearly every professional of note in the country was on hand for the first round at the long, rolling Rancho Course.

Many of them are teeing off with certain reservations. There now is a specific schedule of fines for such things as breaking a club in anger, swearing, failing to show up to compete, etc. So most of them will be on their very best behavior—at least for a day or two.

While Dr. Cary Middlecoff, the National Open champion, has been installed as the heavy favorite a 3-1 to win the event, some of the eyes are going to be on a young fellow named Gay Brewer, ex-GI from Cincinnati, Ohio, who played the course Thursday in 32-32—64, seven under par to win the professional share of \$400 in the pre-celebrities tournament.

Among the other stars favored in the event are PGA and Master champion Jackie Burke; and Gene Littler, the 1955 champion in this event. Others in the field include E. J. Dutch Harrison, Jim Ferrier, Julius Boros, Arnold Palmer, Doug Ford and Ed Furgol.



ANNE WALLACE, shown above with Donald Healy, famed sports car designer, is now associated with the staff of Bill Elsworth Imported Cars at Cathedral City. She was formerly manager of the Music Center in Palm Springs. Miss Wallace is a co-founder of the Palm Springs Sports Car Club and is on the club's board of governors.



■ Customer-stockholder Howard T. Holcomb of San Bernardino and employee-stockholder Evelyn Hodson of Riverside look over the "rough proofs" of Citizens Annual Report before it goes to press. From their smiles you can see that they are pleased with what they read about Citizens service in 1956.

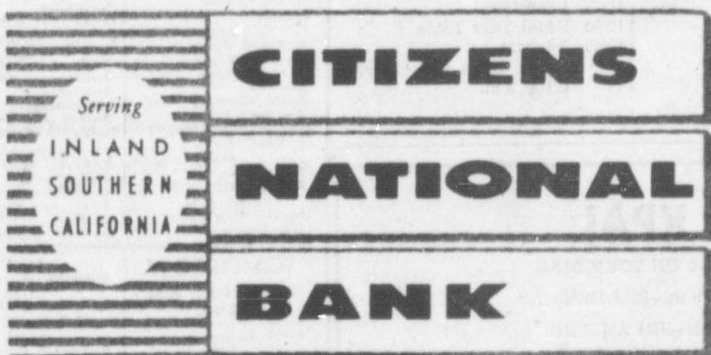
"What kind of Year was 1956?"

"1956 was a year in which everybody was busy. All who wanted work had it. We were busy building new highways, schools, churches, factories, power plants, markets, shops and homes. Expansion was the rule not only in Riverside and San Bernardino Counties but throughout the United States and the world. As a result, the demand for materials, for workers and for money reached unprecedented levels.

Picture in your mind the depressed years of the Nineteen Thirties. Then investors had difficulty in putting their money to work. As a result, interest rates fell to very low levels. During 1956, on the other hand, there was intense competition among those seeking to build and expand. Steel was on back order. Engineers were in great demand. The demand for loans exceeded the sums made available to banks and other institutions by their customers. As a consequence, interest rates rose. The Federal Reserve System, charged with maintaining sound money and stable prices, found it necessary to follow a policy of credit restraint.

It now appears that we as a people did a reasonably good job of managing our prosperity in 1956. Because there were not enough materials, or manpower or money, we did not do all that we wanted to in 1956. But because of that we can now look forward to continued activity at a high level in 1957."

Elden Smith
President



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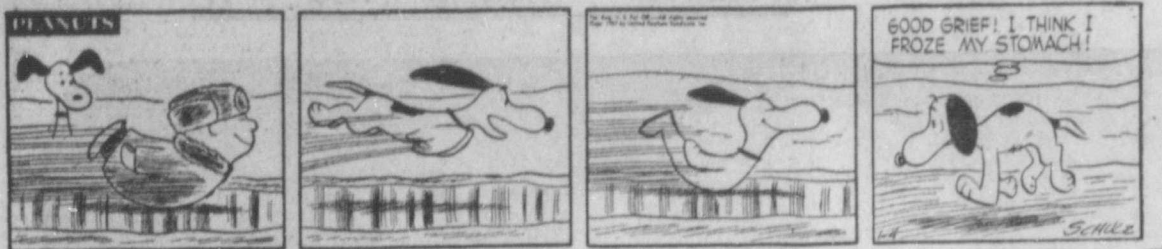
Cash on hand and in Banks	\$ 23,334,938.99
U. S. Government Securities	57,998,279.53
Other Bonds and Securities	11,838,106.96
Loans	93,276,423.89
Bank Buildings and Equipment	3,354,038.42
Accrued Interest and Other Resources	997,092.12
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$190,798,879.91

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 4,968,000.00
Surplus	\$ 5,032,000.00
Undivided Profits	2,965,542.20
TOTAL CAPITAL FUNDS	\$ 12,965,542.20
Reserve for Taxes, Interest, etc.	1,383,799.10
Other Liabilities	2,038,208.27
Deposits	174,411,330.34
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3:35—John Norman Show
4:00—CORLISS COMMENTS
4:10—DON BOITTORE SPORTS
4:15—John Norman Show
4:30—Desert Sunset
4:45—HEADLINES—Signoff

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MONDAY THRU FRIDAY

6 A.M. TIL 5 P.M.

6:00 Bandstand

6:30 Ranch Weather

6:55 Bandstand

7:00 News and Sports

7:10 Bandstand

7:30 Frank Goss News

7:45 Harry Babbitt Show

8:00 Bandstand

8:15 David Valle News

8:30 Palm Springs Today

8:45 Coffee Break

9:00 Wendy Warren

9:15 Howard Miller Show

9:30 Helen Trent

9:45 Our Gal Sunday

10:00 Nora Drake

10:15 Ma Perkins

10:30 Young Dr. Malone

10:45 Aunt Mary

11:00 Bill Downs News

11:05 Right to Happiness

11:15 Second Mrs. Burton

11:30 Strike It Rich

11:45 Pat Buttram Show

12:00 World and Local News

12:15 Bandstand

12:30 Art Linkletter Houseparty

1:00 Arthur Godfrey

2:30 Ruth Ashton Women's News

2:40 Bandstand

3:00 News

3:05 Bandstand

3:30 Alyce Walker Show

4:00 Weatherman Says

4:05 Our Town

4:15 Ace Hudkins

4:30 Bandstand

4:45 Peggy Bull Show

4:55 Business News

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5 P.M. TIL 12 A.M.

5:00 Edward R. Murrow

5:15 Local News

5:30 Tom Harmon Sports News

5:45 Frank Goss News

5:55 Local News

6:00 Bandstand

6:15 Lowell Thomas News

6:30 Amos 'n' Andy

6:55 Bob Trout News

7:00 Master of Melody

7:25 CBS News

7:30 Bing Crosby

7:45 Bandstand

7:45 Tuesday & Thursday Swap

'n' Shop

8:00 World News

8:05 Robert Q. Lewis

9:00 Concert Hall

9:30 Bandstand

10:00 World, Local and Sports

News

10:15 Meet Your Neighbor

10:30 Bandstand

10:55 News Final

11:00 Bandstand

12:00 Regal Tune Table

Nitebeat

Musical, News and Contests

till 6 a.m.

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6:00-9:00 a.m.—BILL JENKINS

9:00-NOON—JIM AMECHE

NOON-3:00 p.m.—BUDDY LEE

3:00-6:00 p.m.—BILL JENKINS

6:00-9:00 p.m.—DICK COURTENAY

9:00-12:00 a.m.—BUDDY LEE

12:00-6:00 a.m.—MR. IMAGINATION

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EVERY HOUR ON THE HOUR.

TVviewing Tips

7:00—Boxing Bout 3, 4

7:00—Success Story 11

7:30—Person to Person 2

8:00—West Point Story 2, 8

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8:30—Gangbusters 3

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9:00—Bob Hope (c) 3, 4

9:30—Four Star Playhouse 2, 8

10:00—The Lineup 2, 8

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R-2-100x130-Suitable for 6 Units-Bargain \$9000.
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Through cooperation of Harry Heath, Blue Skies manager, a Flamingo 48-foot model is on display at Blue Skies. It will be shown in a natural environment rather than on a display lot so it may be seen at better advantage, Wilcox said.

Not So Cheap

BLANFORD, Mass. — Things weren't so cheap in the old days, either. Frank Cook of Blanford has a Revolutionary war diary kept by Capt. William Sizer in which there is this 1780 notation: "Today I paid Major Starr, a tailor, for facing a coat, 100 Continental dollars. This is my pay for two months."



SINGER PATTI PAGE, on a Palm Springs honeymoon after her recent marriage, chats with KDES musical director Ted Grouya in an interview for "Songs, People and Places," heard on KDES every Saturday afternoon at 3:05. (Desert Sun Photo)

'Bad Check Passer' Film Shown Lions Club Members

How to guard against the activities of the bad check passer and the forger, who take a 10 million dollar toll from merchants in the state annually, was the subject of a film shown Palm Springs Lions and their guests, meeting yesterday in the Chi Chi Starlite Room.

The film was presented by the state department of justice under sponsorship of the Palm Springs Police Department.

Not Landlubber

BURLINGTON, Vt. — Ferry boat captain Everett Turner has made some 10,000 trips between his home port here and Port Kent, N. Y. Asked what he thought of the terminus across Lake Champlain, Turner said, "I don't know; I've never been ashore there."

At the conclusion of the film, Green introduced Officer Maury Aitkin who has been placed in charge of the bad check detail of the local police department. Aitkin told of the operation of his department and urged merchants to give it the quickest cooperation in order to halt depredations by bad check operators. After the

luncheon he met with merchants to show pictures of check artists currently operating in the southland and to warn of their methods.

be shown at a meeting of the Retail Merchants Association at a meeting later this month.

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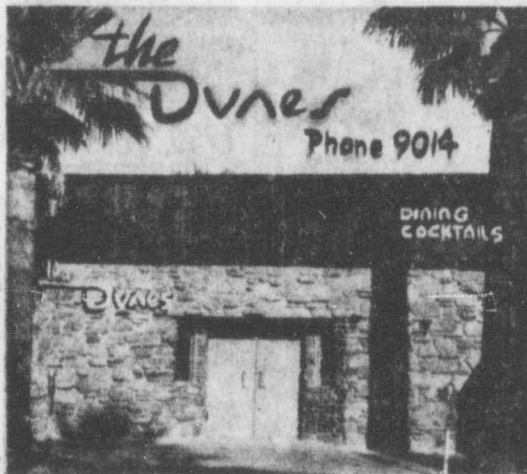
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